CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, May 31-5:15 P. M.--Advices from Havana say a heavy engagement is taking place at Santiago de Cuba.

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FIRST OF THE INVADING ARMY SUCCESSFULLY LANDS IN CUBA.

United States and Cuban Soldiers Join With the Insurgents Under General Gomez.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KEY WEST, Fla., May 31.—Nearly 400 men, with a pack train and a large quantity of arms and ammunition, sailed for Cuba on the Plant line steamer Florida on the night of May 21st.

These men constitute an expedition competent to defend itself against any body of Spanish troops which might oppose it.

The expedition was under the command of Colonel Jose Lacret, formerly an insurgent commander in Matanzas province. He assumed the direction of affairs on the landing of the expedition. Until then General Joaquin Castillo was in control.

Until the landing of the expedition the United States Army was represented by Captain J. A. Dorst, and Thomas Estrada Palma was represented by J. E. Cartaya, who has been landing agent of nearly every filibustering expedition for more than a year. Messrs. Castillo, Cartaya and Dorst will return to Key West. General Julian Sanguilly, on the way to report to General Gomez, was also on the boat.

This is the most powerful anti-Spanish expedition ever sent to Cuba. About 300 of the men are Cubans; the others are Americans. The engineer corps of the expedition is composed entirely of Americans, under Aurelian Ladd, and with the party are Americans.

The men are dressed in canvas uniforms furnished by the United States Government, and the commissary department had rations enough to last fifteen days after the landing. The pack train consisted of seventy-five mules and twenty-five horses. The expedition carried 7,000 rifles and 2,000,000 rounds of ammunition for General Garcia.

The expedition is composed of hardy young fellows who looked fit for anything.

General Sanguilly's return to Cuba is a remarkable incident in his extraordinary career. His gallant services in the ten-years' war, his arrest in Havana at the beginning of the present insurrection, his sentence to death and his release at the intercession of Secretary Sherman, on a promise to remain outside of Cuba, have made him a conspicuous man. About six months ago General Gomez ordered him to report for duty and he did not obey. Now he is going to humble himself before the "Old Man," and Cubans say that General Gomez is likely to receive him gruffly, take away his sword and order him to fight in the ranks. General Gomez is a stickler for obedience.

General Enrique Collaso, through the failure of the Junta to land him in Cuba after the death of General Antonio Maceo, was unable to take the command to which he had been assigned. When he did reach Cuba later with an important expedition, General Gomez reduced him to the rank of colonel as punishment for his failure to obey the previous order. This action was taken notwithstanding the fact that Collaso and Gomez are very dear friends. The expedition was convoyed by the cruiser Marblehead, the torpedo boat destroyer Eagle and other warships.

Two younger brothers of the late General Nestor Aranguien are with the expedition.

When the present revolution in Cuba began General José Lacret Morlot, by which title he is popularly known, secured passage on the steamer Mascotte for Jamaica, on his way to Cuba. The English government had information regarding Lacret's moving, and prevented him sailing for Cuba from Jamaica. He then went to Mexico, later to New York. At the latter place he consulted with the Junta and returned to Tampa.

He embarked on the steamer Olivette for Havana, in the garb of a priest. Still in the garb of a priest he boarded a train for Sagua La Grande. Accompanying him were a large number of Spanish soldiers. Being highly educated, a man of good presence and a "padre" was sufficient to give him an entree into the best Spanish society of Sagua La Grande. Lacret stopped at the finest hotel, and when in the cafe sat at the Alcalde's right hand. After communicating with the insurgents the "padre" suddenly disappeared from the hotel. He joined the insurgents, and throwing off his priestly guise, has since performed valorous service for the cause of Cuban freedom.

He was transferred to the province of Matanzas soon after his arrival, and his career there will form an interesting chapter in the history of Cuba. From Matanzas province he was sent to the eastward as a delegate to the Assembly held in Puerto Principe last February, at which the new government was formed. From this assembly he was directed to come to this country as a bearer of dispatches to the Junta.

The expedition was landed on the coast of Cuba on Thursday morning, May 26th. When the Florida, escorted by the Osceola, drew up close to the shore at the place selected for landing, she sent scouts to see if all was clear. These scouts were greeted by Generals Feria and Rojas, with some 1,500 armed insurgents. Consequently, far from their being any hostile demonstrations on the part of the Spaniards, the landing of the expedition was in the nature of a triumphal invasion. The Cubans who were in waiting for the party had a brass band and welcomed the newcomers with national airs.

The work of unloading the cargo of the Florida was promptly begun by the 432 men composing the expedition. There was nothing in the nature of interruption until the work was finished on Friday.

While the cargo was being unloaded the Osceola, an auxiliary gunboat with her guns ready for action, scouted about the vicinity looking for an enemy, but the Spaniards apparently had no suspicion of what was taking place. So easily was the dangerous mission accomplished that while some members of the party were getting the supplies ashore others were providing themselves with fruit, sugar and other products of the landing place, a large stock of which was brought back to Key West friends.

Nevertheless, no precautionary measure was neglected, and the moment the work was concluded the Florida and the Osceola slipped away, leaving the insurgents to convey their reinforcements into the interior, which, it is confidently expected, was done without any casualty.

The returning members of the Florida party brought with them several hundred private letters, which, it is understood, give a complete insight into the present conditions prevailing in the blockaded island.

The local colony is elated over the astonishing success of the expedition.

The Red Cross Relief steamer State of Texas, with provisions for the starving Cubans, which had been at anchor in the harbor at Key West for three weeks, sailed for Cuba on May 21st. The ship flies the Red Cross flag, and on each of her black sides is painted a large red cross.

Senor Polo, the local delegate of the Cuban Junta, has official information that the Floridan expedition has landed.

TROOPS ENROUTE TO ATTACK SANTIAGO AND SAN JUAN.

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WASHINGTON, May 31.—The command to advance, given yesterday, has infused intense activity into every branch of military and naval circles. It was shown to-day in the hurried but systematic preparations at the various bureaus at the War and Navy Departments, and in the keen air of expectancy everywhere prevailing. The authoritative statement made by General Miles and others that the orders for the advance had been issued left no further doubt on that point.

The report from Key West that the steamer Florida returned there this morning, after successfully landing an important expedition in Cuba, was supplemented by the information here that the expedition was in command of General Lacret, the well-known Cuban leader, who has with him 400 picked Cubans, thoroughly armed and equipped by the United States.

Prior to the Cabinet meeting reports were current that the President had told some of his callers that he expected Commodore Schley would attack Cervera to-day in Santiago harbor. Inquiry failed to substantiate this report. On the contrary, those in a position to know the general plans of attack stated that the navy and army would act together, and that one branch of the service was not likely to strike a decisive blow until the other was ready to co-operate and thus make the blow doubly effective.

While there continues to be entire official reticence as to the exact points of invasion, the consensus of opinion, drawn from the most intelligent sources, is that the eastern end of Cuba, constituting the province of Santiago, with Santiago de Cuba as its capital, and Porto Rico will be among the objective points. For this reason the situation in Santiago province and Porto Rico was thoroughly canvassed.

General Lee left Tampa last night for Jacksonville, on the eastern side of the Florida peninsula, to open headquarters there. But one inference can be drawn from this movement, namely, that Jacksonville is to be made a base of operations against Porto Rico. The town is admirably situated for this purpose; in fact, it far surpasses Key West as a base for operations even against any of the eastern ports of Cuba. The terminus of an excellent railroad system from the North and West, with a good steamboat connection with New York, with a navagable river affording a good harbor and distant only 1,200 mile from San Juan in an air line, Jacksonville leaves little to be desired as a base of military operations.

There seems to be little doubt that the plan of campaign contemplates the reduction of Porto Rico, and the President is being strongly urged to begin this movement even before any serious attempt is made upon Havana. His advisers point to what they regard as the danger of a retreat on the part of the Spanish government. It might be possible, according to their views, for the Spanish to assert that they accept in full the demands of this government's ultimatum, and are prepared to withdraw their troops from Cuba. In such case the United States would be placed in the disagreeable position before the world of continuing to make war upon a country which holds out the flag of truce. The dilemma that would confront us in such a case would be how to secure Porto Rico without offending against international law, for it can be safely accepted as the truth that the administration is determined that Spanish rule in the Western Hemisphere must cease.

DAKOTA TROOPS.

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Two battalions of North Dakota volunteers arrived here about noon to-day. The men were accorded a splendid reception by the people who had gathered at the ferry to witness their coming. The Red Cross Society served a lunch for the tired volunteers and presented them with the customary bouquets of California flowers.

There are 680 men, and they came in two special trains. They marched to Camp Merritt after they had lunched, and attracted considerable attention all along the line. The men are fairly well equipped but much will have to be done for them by the army officials here before they are made comfortable.

SPANISH POISON DEWEY'S SEAMEN.

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HONG KONG, May 31.—According to Manila advices, dated May 27, there is serious sickness on board the United States cruiser Boston. It is believed that the Spaniards poisoned the fish.

Rear Admiral Dewey promised to refrain from bombarding on condition that the Spaniards refrained from strengthening their defenses. On Sunday, May 22nd, they were observed violating the pledge, and Admiral Dewey fired a warning. The work was stopped. Nobody was hurt.

Numerous dispatches congratulating Admiral Dewey have miscarried.

The anti-British demonstrations at Manila are intensifying. The Queen's portraits are insulted, and all the foreigners are preparing to take refuge at Cavite.

SPANISH FLEET STILL AT CADIZ.

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GIBRALTAR, May 31.—Advices received here from Cadiz say that all the guns of both the batteries and the forts are being replaced by heavier guns. It is reported that the departure of Admiral Camara's fleet has been delayed by defects discovered in the torpedo boats.

WARSHIPS AT HAYTI.

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CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, May 31.—The Haytien dispatch gunboat Capers la Morte, which arrived here from Port au Prince at 8 o'clock this morning, having the Minister of Public Works on board, seems to have sighted five American warships while passing the Mole St. Nicholas yesterday afternoon, when the gunboat here of the Associated Press has just interviewed the officers of the Capers la Morte, and learned that about 2 o'clock yestreday afternoon, when the gunboat was opposite the Mole, columns of black smoke were espied east by north of the ridge. The ships were about thirteen miles distant, and their hulls could not be fairly well made out, but all indications were that the vessels were of great tonnage. The fleet seemed to be making northward with all speed past the eastern end of Cuba, and while the officers of the gunboat were observing the vessels they were gradually lost to view. It is hardly to be doubted that the ships sighted were American war vessels.

HAWAII'S FATE IN THE BALANCE.

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WASHINGTON, May 31.—Senator Lodge has decided not to formally offer his Hawaiian annexation proposition as an amendment to the war revenue bill, but he thinks that final adjournment of Congress can be delayed in order to allow the Hawaiian question to be disposed of this session.

Senator Morgan said today that it was his purpose to press his measure, providing for a form of government for territory acquired in the war revenue bill. He also expressed the opinion that the Lodge amendment for the annexation of Hawaii should be made a part of this bill.

"It is just as much a war measure as the subjugation of the Spanish fleet in Santiago bay," he said.

Mr. Lodge made an extended speech, in which he protested against the position in which the majority of both Houses were placed in the matter of Hawaii. Although a majority were in favor of annexation, a vote could not be had. In the Senate this was due to unlimited debate. When Mr. Lodge began discussing the war situation, it was insisted that the debate should be behind closed doors, and the Senate went into executive session.

DEWEY'S ORDER.

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LONDON, May 31.—The owners of the British ship Genesta, which has been loading at Manila, have received a cable dispatch from that place, dated May 24th, saying that Rear Admiral Dewey has ordered the vessel to leave the port, from which it is believed that the American commandgr conjectured some action.

SPANISH PRIZE.

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KEY WEST, May 31.—Another prize has been captured. She is the Spanish bark Maria Dolores. She was overhauled by one of the American cruisers six miles off Porto Rico. She was bound from Rio Janeiro to San Juan de Porto Rico. Some cases supposed to contain ammunition were found under the coal.

MADRID PAPER WANTS PEACE.

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MADRID, May 31.—The Epoca says: There are two parties in Spain. One is seeking for peace, the other for war, and both are inspired by the same idea, which is the benefit of Spain.

The former says the only palliative of our ills is peace. In prolonging the war there is no possibility of a favorable issue for us. Let us practically give up ideals. Let us look at the reality and not attempt impossibilities, for it is impossible that we can break a mathematic and logical law which demonstrates, without romance, that one is less than ten.

TRIED TO SNEAK OUT

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NEW YORK, May 31.—A copyrighted special from Port au Prince to the Evening World says a report was current at Mole St. Nicholas that three of Cervera's fleet tried to steal out of Santiago and were pursued. They only escaped destruction by regaining their port.

CUT THE CABLE.

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KEY WEST, May 31.—News received here today from Santiago says the auxiliary cruiser St. Paul has cut the cable off that port.

COAL FOR THE SPANISH FLEET.

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FALMOUTH, England, May 31.—The British steamer Remembrance has just sailed for Colon with Spanish Government packages and coal, which, it is understood, is destined for the Spanish fleet.

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Beware of "cheap" baking powders. Alum makes good medicine but bad food. Ask your doctor. 612

MANILA NOTES.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A dispatch from Manila to the Herald, dated May 21st, says the Philippine insurgents received last Tuesday 2,000 Mauser breech-loaders and 200,000 rounds of ammunition, and have been busy ever since in getting their men together.

General Aguinaldo said to-day that he had 2,500 Mausers captured from the Spaniards, which, with the rifles just captured, will enable him to form a detachment equal to the Spaniards now in the province of Cavite.

About two miles back of the town of Cavite, General Aguinaldo also has five modern breech-loading field pieces, with a moderate supply of common field shells and shrapnel.

The men of General Aguinaldo's force are of small stature, and look as though they had not had enough to eat for a long time, but they are very wiry and active. Two of them whom I noticed were carrying a heavy forge and bellows slung on a pole, and two others were similarly laden with a large anvil, and four of them carried a bench with two vises. They had taken a field gun from one of the sunken Spanish cruisers and were trying to make it fit their service, showing marvelous patience and perseverance.

There must be something out of the common about their leader, General Aguinaldo, for whereas four weeks ago there were not 100 persons in Cavite after the Spaniards moved out, there are now more than 2,500 men capable of bearing arms, most of whom have assembled since General Aguinaldo's arrival five days ago.

If he captured the Spaniards' detachment and arms, General Aguinaldo would be able to take the field with more than 5,000 men. He tells me his force is limited only by the number of rifles he can get, but many of the native soldiers in Manila will desert to him as soon as he attacks that place. The success of the recent expedition that brought the insurgents a supply of rifles will result in a larger shipment within the next two weeks, and General Aguinaldo is confident of having 10,000 men in the field before July 1st.

Admiral Dewey still holds Manila by the throat, and the Spaniards are unable to escape from sure starvation or surrender. It is impossible to get definite news from the city, but the anxiety of Europeans there, as conveyed through foreign Consuls, shows how strict the blockade is being maintained.

The natives now bring off a plentiful supply of chickens, eggs, mangoes, bananas and a few pineapples, but nothing else.

TROOPS WILL BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

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CHICAGO, May 31.—A special to the Journal from Washington says:

The Paymaster's Department issued orders today to pay the soldiers destined for Cuba and Porto Rico one month's salary in advance. This will be paid them as they go on the transports. The soldiers intended for the Philippines will also be paid four weeks in advance. This will require more than $1,000,000.

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CAVALRY NEEDED.

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WASHINGTON, May 31.—Senator Pettigres today introduced a bill to temporarily increase the army of the United States. It provides for the appointment of Edmund F. English of South Dakota as colonel and he to be authorized under the direction of the Secretary of War, to enlist and equip twelve troops of light cavalry for two years or more for special service in the Philippines. The command is to be provided with rapid-fire rifles, guns and revolvers. The troops are to consist of no less than sixty nor more than eighty-four officers men; $225,000 is appropriated to carry the bill into effect.

CURACOA DUTCH HOOT SPANIARDS.

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NEW YORK, May 31.—The British steamer Laughton, chartered by the Red D line, has arrived here from Curacoa. She fell in with the Spanish squadron at the Dutch port.

"We lay at Curacoa on May 14th,—said Captain Hodgson. "At 10 A. M. in came Admiral Cervera's ships, which at first anchored three miles from shore. The harbor consists of a lagoon, entered through a narrow channel, while hills lie beyond.

"Ships in the harbor tie up to a breakwater. The Laughton lay on one side of the breakwater and the American steamer Maracaibo of the Red D line on the opposite side. The Maracaibo was scheduled to sail for the port of that name on the very morning the Spaniards arrived.

"Early in the morning, the Maracaibo's chief engineer reported to Captain Reith that, owing to a defect in the machinery, he could not reverse his engines. Captain Reith decided to stay in port for repairs. When, a few hours later, he saw the Spaniards coming in, he felt first rate, because he had been saved by a bit of bad luck from capture by the enemy.

The Maria Teresa and the Vizcaya came in through the channel and anchored in the lagoon. I dipped the Laughton's flag, and it was nearly fifteen minutes before the Vizcaya dipped hers in response."

It appeared that Captain Reith was afraid he would be shelled right there in a neutral port.

Engineer Clark says the Stars and Stripes were hauled down and not raised again on the Maracaibo till just before the Spaniards sailed the next evening.

"Admiral Cervera came ashore in a lifeboat instead of his launch," said Mr. Clark. "I jumped into a boat and rowed around the Vizcaya and the Maria Teresa. You could see some growth on their hulls, but it was not so heavy as you might think. The Vizcaya was in pretty good shape after being so long at sea.

"There was between three and four feet of hull exposed below the load line, showing that they did not have much coal aboard.

"I noticed that the port quick-firing gun on the Vizcaya looked as if it was broken. This was an optical delusion, for when I got close to the gun it seemed to be all right.

"The Vizcaya and the Maria Teresa took on provisions and coal from lighters, 200 tons each of supplies. Two days' steaming coal, enough to reach the nearest Spanish port, was taken from a pile of 600 tons that had been condemned by a Dutch man of war.

"I did not hear of the Spaniards being so short on supplies at all. The Spaniards remained till 6 P. M., on Sunday. When the Spanish sailors came ashore they were hooted at by the Dutchmen, while cries of 'Long Live America,' and 'To Hell with Spain,' filled the air."

PRIESTS OFFER TO QUIT PHILIPPINES.

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LONDON, May 31.—The Mail's Madrid correspondent wires: I learn that the religious orders in the Philippines have signed a statement to the governor declaring that if they are the cause of the continuation of the insurrection they are ready to withdraw from the islands. It is said that the orders have concentrated in the cities already, fearing the hatred of the natives.

The cables have been cut between Capiz, Pamy and Illilo. A shipping company has been commissioned to carry mails between Manila and Hong Kong.

STEAMER CHASES A BATTLESHIP.

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NEW YORK, May 31.—A special to the World from Halifax, N. S., says: The British battleship Renown has just arrived here from Bermuda with a story of a chase at sea by a strange steamer.

She left Bermuda Saturday at 12:30 P. M., and steamed fast. Yesterday at about 11:30 o'clock, the smoke of a steamer was seen several miles astern. The vessel gradually gained upon the battleship until the stranger could be seen plainly outlined on the horizon. She was apparently pursuing the battleship.

The latter was plowing along at a fifteen-knot speed, but the stranger continued to gain. She slowed down when within a short distace of the battleship and passed astern to the westward. The steamer did not show her colors. She was schooner rigged with two funnels.

Those on the Renown thought she was an auxiliary cruiser. She was large and very fast.

The rest of the British North American squadron will cruise in the West Indies all summer.

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CHICKAMAUGA TROOPS FOR TAMPA

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CHATTANOOGA, May 31.—Preparations for the departure of eight regiments from Chickamauga are being vigorously pushed to-day, and the indications are that they will all get out during the next forty-eight hours. The First Illinois, the First Ohio, the One Hundred and Fifty-seventh Indiana and the Third Pennsylvania are scheduled to leave to-night. The work of breaking camp and packing up can easily be finished during the day. The men and equipments will be loaded on trains in the park, and these trains will be given the right of way over all others. The detachment formed by the four regiments will number about 4,000 men and will be commanded by Brigadier-General Snyder.

The second detachment, which will probably leave to-morrow, will be composed of the Second New York, Sixty-ninth New York, First District of Columbia, and the Fifth Maryland. Brigadier General L. H. Carpenter will command this detachment. General Carpenter has been in command of the First Division of the Third Corps at the Park, while General Snyder has been in command of the Third Division of the First Corps. Each of the eight regiments will be equipped with Springfield rifles, 45-caliber, and 500 rounds of ammunition. These, except what are in the hands of the men, will be shipped by rail. Each regiment will provide itself with two-days's travel rations in haversacks and eight days' full rations in wagon train. Fifty days' full rations will be shipped by rail to the Chief Commissary at Tampa. It is now generally believed here that the various regiments encamped in the park will be sent on to Tampa as soon as they are in fit condition.

The First Maine Infantry, the Second Arkansas Infantry and the Fifty-second Iowa Infantry, which arrived yesterday afternoon and last night, settled down in camp to-day. Each numbers about 850 men.

The First Mississippi Infantry, 1028 men, under Colonel George M. Govan, arrived this morning. The regiment is without uniforms and arms.

The second division was scheduled for a sham battle to-day, but this morning it was decided to postpone the event. Regimental and company drills are keeping men employed. Inspector General Breckenridge states that he will remain here a week longer.

MILES ON HIS WAY TO TAMPA.

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COLUMBIA, S. C., May 31.—A special train bearing General Miles and party from Washington to Tampa passed through here at 1 o'clock this afternoon. They are traveling as the second section of the limited over the Southern and Florida Central, and are due in Tampa to-morrow morning.

A committee of Savannah citizens met General Miles here for the purpose of inducing him to concentrate some of the troops now at Chickamauga in Savannah. That city will appropriate $6,000 for a camp ground.

REPAIRING THE COLUMBIA.

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NEW YORK, May 31.—The disabled cruiser Columbia probably will not be able to leave the dry dock at the navy yard for ten days at least. More than a hundred mechanics are at work on the vessel, ripping off the injured armor plates and sponson. The steel protected decks do not seem to be materially injured.

M'KINLEY WANTS HAWAII ANNEXED.

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WASHINGTON, May 31.—President McKinley had a number of personal conferences with Senators and Representatives during the early part of the day. Adjutant General Corbin of the War Department had a conference with him over some army appointments and some other matters incidental to the volunteer service.

The President received no information of important developments up to the convening of the Cabinet at 11 A. M. There was, in fact, no news from the front that he could impart to callers.

Representative Newlands of Nevada, the Silver Republican who introduced the Hawaiian annexation resolution, spent some time discussing the matter with Mr. McKinley, but did not express entire confidence of securing a rule for the consideration of the Hawaiian annexation.

Representative Cannon of Illinois, chairman of the House Appropriation Committee, was at the White House for a little while, though he did not wait to see the President. He has been in conference with the War Department officials over the moneys needed to be carried in the general deficiency bill. He said the additional War Department estimates, growing out of the second call for volunteers, would not be less than $40,000,000 nor more than $50,000,000, the exact amount being not definitely determined. This brings to above $200,000,000 the aggregate to be carried by the general deficiency bill which will be reported to the House when the war revenue bill has passed the Senate.

Senators Lodge, Foraker, Lindsay and Hanna were closeted with the President separately. The President during the forenoon took occasion during interviews with callers to reiterate his conviction that the annexation of Hawaii should be speedily accomplished.

BRYAN MAY LEAD MISSOURI TROOPS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Jefferson City, Mo., says: Governor Stephens to-day sent the following telegram:

"Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, Lincoln, Neb:—Seeing that your State, under the second call for 75,000 volunteers, may not be requested to furnish a full regiment, and knowing of your patriotism and anxiety to go to the front in the service of your country during the present war, I hereby tender you, if under the second call I am empowered by the Secretary of War to make such appointment, the Colonelcy of a Missouri regiment.

"Presuming to speak for my State, I say that our people will be as loyal to you personally as you to your country, and they will feel honored to fight under your leadership.

(Signed) "LON V. STEPHENS,
"Governor of Missouri."

In an interview, Governor Stephens said:

"I offered the Colonelcy to Mr. Bryan in good faith, and hope he will accept it. Missourians generally will endorse my action. I believe if I am empowered to make this appointment and Mr. Bryan accepts, he may be induced to become a citizen of our State."

ESCAPE OF A CORRESPONDENT.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., May 31.—The German newspaper correspondent, Mr. Emerssohn, who was arrested in Porto Rico, and who subsequently escaped and was declared a spy by the Alcalde of Saguas, who placed a price on his head, is reported to have reached Santa Cruz, the Danish island near here, in safety.

HEAVY BLOWS FROM NOW ON.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—When the Cabinet meeting adjourned today it was announced that the matters under discussion were not of vital importance, nor was there anything of interest that could be given to the public.

The best information obtainable from other sources, however, strongly indicates that the important military movement now in progress will be directed against Santiago and in co-operation with the fleet under Commodore Schley, and the allied insurgent forces. Our forces are expected to speedily capture the city of Santiago and the fleet or destroy both.

It is intimated from high sources that the landing expedition now embarking at Key West may be divided and one division sent to co-operate with Admiral Sampson against Porto Rico. It is believed that the Government now has a sufficient number of regulars and seasoned volunteers to carry both of these plans to a successful issue. Transports in sufficient numbers and capacity already have been secured, and it is the opinion of high officials that one or both of these plans are now being carried into execution.

General Miles, who left here last night to take command of the military forces, is known to have the entire confidence of the President, who in today's Cabinet meeting said that he fully expected that General Miles would prove entirely worthy of his trust. Members of the administration are of the opinion that all actions will be prosecuted with the utmost promptness.

PORTUGUESE AID THE SPANIARDS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A dispatch to the World from Lisbon says:

The Spaniards are sending troops from all the provinces to Cadiz and Algerias.

The intention is said to be to dispatch these soldiers to the Philippines as soon as the squadron is ready to convoy them. But it appears that no squadron can be dispatched for a week or more, as all the warships are short of ammunition and some of them have not even mounted guns.

In the northern provinces of Spain the Carlist organizations are telling the people that inasmuch as Admiral Dewey attacked Manila with petroleum bombs, and as the Americans bombard Spanish towns without warning the inhabitants, Spain has asserted her rights to issue letters of marque.

Portuguese people are very much in favor of Spain in the present war. They have gone out of their way to aid her. At the instance of the Spanish Consul here, they sent back Spanish deserters who had entered Portuguese territory, and are now sending troops to the frontier to prevent the entrance of any more. They exercise caution in transmitting telegrams and letters for England and for the continent, assuming that there must be something important in every telegram sent to London.

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A REGIMENT FOR BRYAN.

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WASHINGTON, May 31.—Wm. J. Bryan, late Democratic nominee for the Presidency, may be a Colonel in the volunteer army now being organized to drive the Spaniards from the Western Hemisphere.

To-day the Secretary of War authorized the Governor of Nebraska to raise a regiment of infantry for the President's call for 75,000 additional volunteers. The Governor previously had requested the Secretary to do this, and the regiment he proposed to tender th Government is being recruited with the expectation that Mr. Bryan will be its commanding officer.

BRYAN DECLINES.

LINCOLN, Neb. May 31.—The following message was sent by Mr. Bryan today in reply to the Governor's telegram:

"Governor Stephens, Jefferson, Missouri:—I am deeply indebted to you for the honor you do me. I should be pleased to be associated in any capacity with the Missouri volunteers, but it is quite certain that all or a considerable portion of my regiment will be accepted, and I feel that my first duty is to the Nebraska boys.

"(Signed.) W. J. BRYAN."

GERMAN SHIP IS MISSING.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A dispatch to the World from Port au Prince, Hayti, says:

The German steamer Schleswig, which left Gonaives on the 18th for Kingston, with coal for the United States Government, was to return to Gonaives May 13th. Nothing has been heard of her for nearly a fortnight, and it is feared that she has been captured.

The Schleswig left Philadelphia May 10th with a load of coal, came to New York for additional cargo and sailed May 11th for the West Indies. She unloaded her coal at Kingston, and sailed from there for New York May 20th, but without a bill of health.

Her master, Captain Arthaud, is said to have made himself very offensive to the Americans in Jamaica by his pro-Spanish utterances. He boasted according to a press dispatch, that he would help the Spanish whenever he could. He threatened to look up Spanish ships outside and signal them that the auxiliary cruiser Harvard was in Kingston harbor.

The American Consul heard of this threat, and when Captain Arthuud applied for a bill of health Saturday, after the hour for issuing them, the Consul did not feel disposed to re-open the Consulate to help aid the Spaniards, so he held the Captain's papers.

The Schleswig sailed at daylight Sunday without the papers, and will be subject to a heavy fine upon reaching an American port.

SCHLEY TO MAKE A DECISIVE MOVE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, May 31.—A hot exchange of dispatches between Commodore Schley and Washington has occurred during the last thirty-six hours, and an important movement of Schley's fleet is expected soon. The auxiliary cruiser Yale put in here Saturday, receiving and sending cablegrams. The Eagle and the Harvard have been in Jamaica waters several times, acting as dispatch boats.

The Associated Press dispatch boat Dandy was detained here from Saturday until Monday by the refusal of the British officials to allow her to coal, fearing it was violation of neutrality. It was only by energetic action of the American Consul, Mr. Snyder, that the Dandy yesterday received permission to take fuel.

PREPARING FOR EMERGENCIES.

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KINGSTON, Jamaica, May 31.—The British Government has purchased in the United States, for delivery here, 120,000 barrels of flour for the army and navy stores. The order was placed with the Consolidated Milling Company of Minneapolis. The transaction is significant as showing British preparation for an emergency.

MEXICAN DOLLAR STORY AN ERROR.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, May 31.—Paymaster General Stanton of the army authorizes a specific denial of the reported negotiations for the acquisition of a large number of Mexican dollars for the payment of troops to be sent to the Philippines. There is no desire on the part of the Government to pay its soldiers in depreciated coin, and they will be paid in gold and silver of the United States.

TRIBUTE TO GLADSTONE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Chaplain's invocation was a glowing tribute to the life and character of Gladstone. "The greatest of all commoners, the noblest person of our time, great in his gifts, greater in the use he made of them."

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

W. A. KNOWLES IS GIVEN UP BY HIS BONDSMEN.

W. A. Knowles was to-day surrendered by his bondsman, John Rohan, and Detective Quigley immediately took the defendant into custody. Knowles was brought into the County Jail about 2 o'clock. He was very reticent, but stated that he knew no reason why such a trick should be played upon him. He thought he was secure until the detective appeared and placed him under arrest.

Mr. Rohan, who gave bond in the sum of $5,000, said to-day that he had good reason for surrendering Knowles. He not only had learned of an alleged scheme on the part of the defendant to escape, but did not think he had been honestly dealt with in the matter. Mr. Rohan said he was assured in the beginning that he was secure in putting up his $5,000, but since the time he signed the bond no evidence has been shown wherein the security lay. He had an attorney's word for it and that was all.

Other than this, Mr. Rohan desired to keep silent. He maintained that he was justified in his act.

The other bondsmen are Mrs. Knowles and Welles Whitmore in the sum of $2,300 each. They are still secure.

OAKLAND CAVALRY OFFICERS ARE NAMED.

Troop A, Oakland Light Cavalry, met at its headquarters in the Maudonough building last evening and the following commissioned officers: Captain E. C. Leffingwell, First Lieutenants A. A. Moore, Jr., and H. S. Pugh and Second Lieutenant Abe P. Leach, selected the following non-commissioned officers:

First sergeant, Marston Campbell.

Sergeants—Richard B. Ayer, F. C. Watson, Charles D. Bates, Jr., J. H. Dieckmann.

Corporals—C. F. Pugh, H. W. Thomas, D. R. Roscoe, Frank C. Jordan, P. C. Black.

Votes of thanks were extended to the following individuals for contributions to the furnishing of the headquarters: Mayor Thomas, for chair; A. H. Breed, for the rooms; Smith Bros., for flowers; J. L. Lyon and Schreiber Furniture Co., for furniture and carpets; Mrs. J. C. Costigan, for a handsome silk flag; John A. Ito of the Oakland Gas, Light & Heat Company, for light, and to many others.

The company also took the preliminary steps towards complete organization. A number of volunteers have asked to be admitted into the troop.

ROONEY CASE AGAIN IN THE COURTS.

The petition of Owen F. Rooney for an alternative writ of mandate against R. W. Snow, auditor of this city, was met by a demurrer this morning after an hour of argument the matter was continued one week.

Rooney owns a saloon at the pier, which has been declared to lie outside the city limits. However, a liquor license has been imposed upon him by the city until he has paid upward of $1,000 into the city treasury. This he seeks to recover by an order of the court.

SAID DAVIS PLOWED UP A VALUABLE NURSERY.

Judge Ogden is to-day hearing the case of P. Casseli against James Davis. The complaint avers that the defendant plowed up a valuable nursery belonging to the plaintiff. Damages are sought in the sum of $1,250.

MORE RED CROSS WORKERS NEEDED.

All ladies of East Oakland interested in making bandages for the soldiers are requested to meet at Washington Hall every day this week at 2 o'clock. There are three bolts of flannel to be made into bandages.

Will Hold an Inquest

Coroner Baldwin will hold an inquest over the remains of Mrs. Ada Olsen, wife of A. P. Olsen and daughter of T. H. B. Rosenberg of this city. Mrs Olsen died yesterday morning at her home in Alameda. She had been in the habit of using a solution of carbolic acid as a wash and yesterday morning she used some of the undiluted acid by mistake.

Mrs. Olsen was frightfully burned and died soon afterwards. She was a native of Santa Barbara and was 29 years old. She leaves two children, Jennie and Charles Olsen.

The Council Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council will be held this evening, when a number of important matters will come up for consideration. Among the more important matters will be the final passage of the anti-pool room ordinance and the adoption of the resolution of intention to pave Clay street from Seventh street to San Pablo avenue.

Was Not an Abductor.

At the request of the District Attorney, Judge Clift discharged Jos. Taylor today. Taylor was charged with abducting Dora Leimery, the child wife of young Streuber, who is serving a sentence in San Quentin for placing his wife in a disreputable house. The girl, after his conviction, ran away from home with Taylor, but was overtaken and sent to Whittier.

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Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of M. J. Donahoo, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real and personal estate should not be made.

It appearing to the said Court by the petition this day presented and filed by Ella Donahoo, the administratrix of the estate of M. J. Donahoo, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real and personal estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the administratrix to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a daily newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated, May 20th, 1898.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

(Endorsed): Filed May 20, 1898. Frank C. Jordan, County Clerk; by F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Annie E. Lange, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix and executors of the estate of Annie E. Lange, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix and executors, at the office of Fitzgerald & Abbott, attorneys at law, 836 Broadway, Oakland, Alameda county, California, which said office the undersigned selects as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Annie E. Lange, deceased.

ADELAIDE TYACK,
GEO. W. DISHER,
FRED W. LANGE JR.,
Executrix and executors of the estate of Annie E. Lange, deceased.

Dated Oakland, May 4th, 1898.

FITZGERALD & ABBOTT, Attorneys for Executrix and Executors.

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(Formerly County Treasurer)
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COUNTY CLERK
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W. S. HARLOW
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JUSTICE SWASEY RESIGNS FROM THE BENCH.

Supervisors Appoint Hard as His Successor.

Many County Affairs Attended to at Today's Meeting.

Justice of the Peace G. A. Swasey of Alameda, tendered his resignation from office this morning to the Board of Supervisors and it was accepted. Judge Swasey has been ill for the past year and has been confined at Fabiola Hospital. He has tried no case for over a year.

David T. Hard petitioned to be appointed to fill Judge Swasey's place. His petition was signed by Court Commissioner George Babcock, County Treasurer Barber, Judge Ellsworth, E. K. Taylor, and others.

On Supervisor Church's motion, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, the petition was granted and Mr. Hard requested to file bonds.

District Attorney Snook filed a written opinion relative to the Board's responsibility in the fixing of water rates as petitioned for by the residents of Elmhurst. On his advice, the original petition was referred to Clerk Hawkett to see if the signers were properly qualified persons. The petition will be advertised later.

ROAD FUNDS.

County Treasurer Sanford filed the following apportionments of county road funds: General road fund, $422.30; Altamont, $369.15; Alvarado, $102.26; Brooklyn, $143.34; Decoto, $99.85; Fruitvale, $111.90; Mt. Eden, $226.43; Murray, $210.24; Newark, $86.77; Niles, $253.76; Ocean View, $98.78; Pleasanton, $163.55; San Lorenzo, $250.74; Vallecito, $170.43; Washington, $328.12; total, $3,148.67.

This money was derived from the apportionment of the second installment of the railroad taxes: From the Central Pacific Rail Road taxes, $2,546.42; Northern Railway, $104.01; S. P. C. R. R., $602.04; Southern Pacific Company, $24.60; Alameda & S. J. R. R., $26.64; Pullman Car Company, $96

The proper resolutions were adopted, apportioning the funds.

County Surveyor Nusbaumer filed plans and specifications for grading and re-macadamizing East Fourteenth street near Fruitvale avenue. The cost was estimated at $25 and the plans ordered published in the Oakland Tribune and Alameda Encinal.

Plans were filed by County Surveyor Nusbaumer for the grading and bituminizing of the crossing of East Fourteen street and Fruitvale. The cost was estimated at $15 and the plans ordered pulished in the Oakland Enquirer and the Alamed kiw darthar daer and Alameda Argus.

An invitation was received by the Supervisors to attend the International Mining Congress which will meet in Salt Lake City in July. By a unanimous vote District Attorney Snook was appointed a delegate to attend at his own expense.

Supervisor Talcott reported granting aid in May to 110 indigents at a cost of $131.

Chairman Talcott called the attention of the Supervisors to the necessity of making a monthly detailed account of aid given to indigents, as it was necessary that he, as chairman, must swear to the correctness of all reports.

Sheriff White made a requisition for mattresses, blankets and clothing for the Pleasanton jail. His requisition was granted.

Reports from the following road foremen were filed: P. H. Hoare, Castro Valley; Edwin Whipple, Decoto.

Liquor licenses were granted to Anna C. Holm, Half-Way House; Jos. Herrscher, Mount Eden.

Charles Harrison of the High street House applied for a liquor license.

Supervisor Talcott, as road commissioner, was instructed to have the fences and other obstructions on the Redwood road removed.

J. H. Medau filed a deed for a strip of land along county road No. 2035. The consideration is $300.

Supervisor Talcott was instructed to sign the protest against the bituminizing of Fifth street between Washington and Broadway. The Board preferred to have the street macadamized.

The Board then adjourned for one week.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLOUR—Family extras, $5.75@5.85; bakers' extras, $5.50@5.60 per bbl.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham flour, $2 per 100 lbs; rye flour, $2.75 per 100; rice flour, $6; cornmeal, $2.50; extra cream cornmeal, $3.25; catmeal, $4; oat groats, $4.25; hominy, $3.25@3.50; buckwheat flour, $4@4.25; cracked wheat, $3.75; farina, $4.75; whole wheat flour, $3.25; rolled oats (barrels), $5.80@6.20; in sacks, $5.60@6; pearl barley, $4.75; split peas, $4.25; green peas, $4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$15.50@16.50 per ton.

MIDDILNGS—$21@23 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $27@28; oilcake at the mill, $31@31.50; jobbing, $32@32.50; cocoanut cake, $24@25; cottonseed meal, $25@30 per ton; cornmeal, $24.50; cracked corn, $25.

HAY—(Ex-car in round lots)—Wheat, $20@24.50; wheat and oat, $20@23; oat, $17@19; barley, $16@18; compressed wheat, $21@24; compressed oat, $16@19; alfalfa, $12@13.50; clover, nominal; timothy, $14@17.50.

STRAW—70c@$1 per bale; Oregon, 50@60c.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $2.90@3.05; small whites, $1.95@2.10; large whites, $1.90@2.05; pinks, $2.65@2.75; reds, $2.75; blackeye, $3.50@3.75; butters, $1.65@1.75; limas, $3@3.25; pea, $2@2.15; red kidneys, $2.50@2.85 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $2.25@2.50 per ctl; yellow mustard, $3.15@3.25; flax, $2.25; canary seed, 2¼@2¾c per lb; alfalfa, 3@5c; rape, 2¼@2¾c; hemp, 3¾@3c; timothy, 5@5¾c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.75@2; green, $1.90@2.25 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Early rose are out; river reds, 40@50c; river burbanks, 60@75c per sack; Oregon burbanks, 55@75c; Petaluma burbanks, 70@80c; new potatoes, 1@1½c per lb.

ONIONS—Australian, $4.50@5; new, 40@75c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Asparagus, $2.25 for extra large, $1.75@2 per box for No. 1; 75c@$1.50 for small; rhubarb, 40@65c per box; green peas, $1.25@1.50 per sack; string beans, 8@11c; horse beans, 40@60c per sack; summer squash, $1@1.25 per box; dried peppers, 6@7c per lb; dried okra, 12½c; cabbage, 65@75c per ctl; carrots, 20@50c per sack; garlic, nominal; cucumbers, $2.25 per box.

EVAPORATED VEGETABLES—Potatoes, sliced, raw, 12c per lb in lots of 25 lbs; sliced dessicated, 10@18c; granulated raw, 13c; onions, 60c; carrots, old, 13c; new, 15c; cabbage, 30c; sweet potatoes, 30c; turnips, 25c; string beans, 30c; tomatoes, 50c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POUTLRY—Live turkeys, 8@11c for gobblers and 8@11c for hens; geese, per pair, 75c@$1; goslings, $1@1.25; ducks, $3@3.50 for old and $3@5 for young; hens, $3@4; roosters, young, $7@8; roosters, old, $3@3.50; fryers, $5@5.50; broilers, $4@5 for large and $2.50@4 for small; pigeons, $1.50@1.75 per xdozen for young and $1.25@1.50 for old.

GAME—Nominal.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy creameries, 19½@20c; seconds, 18c.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 17@18c; second grades, 15@16½c per lb.

Eastern Butter—Imitation creamery, 16@18½c; indie packed, 15@16c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 9c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 10@11c; Western, 11@12c; Eastern, 12@13c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 14@16c per dozen; store eggs, 13@14c; duck eggs, 16c.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS—Strawberries, $2@3 per chest for large, $3@5.50 for small berries; apples, 40@50c per box for common, 75c@$1 for good to choice and $1.25@1.50 for fancy; white cherries, 20@40c; loose cherires, 1½@2½c for white, 3½@5c per lb for black; black, 35@65c; currants, 40@60c per box; blackberries, $1.25@1.60 per crate.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, $2.50@3.25; seedlings, 75c@$1.25; lemons, 50c@$1 for common and $1.25@2 for good to choice; Mexican limes, $3.50@4; California limes, in small boxes, 40@50c; bananas, $1.25@2 per bunch; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen.

PROVISIONS.

CURED MEATS—Bacon—9c per lb for heavy, 9½c for light medium, 10c for light, 11c for extra light and 12@12½c for sugar cured; Eastern sugar cured hams, 10½@11c; California hams, 9½@10c; mess beef, $9 per bbl; extra mess beef, $10; family beef, $11@12; salt pork, $9; extra prime pork, $10; extra clear, $17@17.50; mess, $15; smoked beef, 12c per lb.

LARD—Eastern tierces quoted at 6c per lb for compound and 8½c for pure; pails, 9¼c; California tierces, 5½c per lb for compound and 7½c for pure; half barrels, 7¾c; 10 lb tins, 8¼c; 5 lb tins, 8¾c.

COTTOLENE—Tierces, 6½@6¾c packages, less than 300 lbs—1 lb pails, 60 in a case, 8¾c; 3 lb pails, 20 in a case, 8¾c; 5 lb pails, 12 in a case, 8¾c; 10 lb pails, 6 in a case, 8¼c; 50 lb tins, 1 or 2 in a case, 7¾c; wooden buckets, 20 lbs net, 7¾c; fancy tubs, 80 lbs net, 7¾c; half barrels, about 110 lbs, 7½c per lb.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 6c; choice, 6½c; second quality, 5½c; third quality, 4@5c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 4@5c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7½@8c; ewes, 7@7½c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 8@8½c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 4@4¼c for large and 4½@4¾c for medium; stock hogs, 2@3c; dressed hogs, 5½@6½c.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

BAGS—Calcutta grain bags, nominal; wool bags, nominal; San Quentin, $4.85.

COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; new Wellington, $8; Southfield Wellington, $7.50; Seattle, $8; Bryant, $6; Coos Bay, $5; Wallsend, $7.50; Scotch, $10; Cumberland, $10.25 in bulk and $11.50 in sacks; Pennsylvania anthracite egg, $14; Cannel, $10 per ton; Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $9; coke, $12 per ton in bulk and $14 in sacks.

SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery fine crushed, 7c; powdered, 6½c; dry granulated, 5⅞c; confectioners' A, 5⅞c; granulated, 5¾c; confectioners' A, 5½c; magnolia A, 5⅜c; extra C, 5¼c; golden C, 5⅛c per lb; half bbls ⅛c more than bbls, 5c. candy granulated, 5⅞c; California A and boxes ⅛c more.

DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, RAISINS, ETC.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, carload lots, 4¾@5c for 40-50's, 4½@4¾c for 50-60's, 3@3½c for 60-70's, 2½@3c for 70-80's; 2@2½c for 80-90's, 1¾@2c for 90-100's; peaches, 3@5c; fancy, 5½@6c; peeled, 10@12½c; apricots, 5@6½c for royals and 7@8c for good to fancy moorparks; evaporated apples, 5½@7c; sun dried, 4@5c; black figs in sacks, 2@2½c; plums, 4½@4¾c for pitted and 1@1½c for unpitted; bleached plums, 5@5¼c; nectarines, 4@6c for prime to fancy; pears, 2¾@4½c for quarters and 3@5½c for halves, according to color, etc.

NUTS—Chestnuts, 8c per lb; walnuts, 3@4c for hardshell and 4@6c for softshell; almonds, 3@4c for hardshell, 6@7c for softshell and 8½@9c for paper-shell; peanuts, 4@5½c for Eastern and 4½c for California; pecans, 6½@8c; filberts, 8½@10c; Brazil nuts, 8@9c per lb; cocoanuts, $4.50@5 per 100.

RAISINS—1½@2c for two crown, 3c for three crown, 3½c for four crown, 4½c for seedless sultanas, 2¾c for seedless muscatels and $1@1.10 for London layers; dried grapes, 2½c.

HONEY—Comb, 9@10c for bright and 6@7c for lower grades; water white extracted, 5½@6c; light amber extracted, 4¾@5½c per lb.

BEESWAX—24@26c per lb.

HIDES, TALLOW, WOOL AND HOPS.

HIDES AND SKINS—Heavy salted steers, 10c; medium, 8½@9c; light, 8½c; cowhides, 8½@9c; stags, 5c; salted kip, 9c; calf, 10c; dry hides, 15@16c; culls and brands, 12@13c; dry kip and veal, 16@16½c; dry calf, 18@20c; culls, 16@17c; goatskins, 30@37½c each; kids, 50@10c; deerskins, good summer, 25@30c per lb; medium, 20c; winter, 10c; sheepskins, shearings, 20@25c each; short wool, 40@60c each; medium, 60@80c; long wools, 90c@$1.20 each.

TALLOW—No. 1 rendered, 3@3½c per lb; No. 2, 2@2½c; refined, 4½@4¾c; grease, 2c.

WOOL—Fall clip—San Joaquin, defect-

HOPS—1897 crop, 9@12½c per lb.

ive, 7@9c; southern mountain, 9@11c; free northern, 17@18c.

REV. EDWARD DAVIS WILL BE TRIED.

The Rev. Edwards Davis has expressed a willingness to submit his case to a church tribunal for trial. The Christian Ministerial Union met yesterday morning in the lecture hall of the Y. M. C. A. building, San Francisco, but adjourned immediately out of deference to Memorial Day.

The committee appointed to consider the relations of Rev. Edwards Davis with his church agreed during the week on a scheme of action. It presented to the church and pastor the suggestion of a council of arbitration. The proposition was agreeable to both, and the council that is to be called into existence will consist of seven members, three to be appointed by Davis, three by those of the church, that had withdrawn from membership, and a chairman to be selected by the other members.

Thibault and the Barnes.

E. F. Thibault (years an expert bicycle repairer) is in business for himself with the agency for the "Barnes" (the white flyer). It would be prudent for bicycle buyers to see his wheel; it would be a pleasant duty for his friends to call at his agency, 375 Twelfth street.

The physicians send all their patients to Theo. Gier Co., 513-515 Fourteenth street, for pure wines and liquors for medicinal purposes.

NALL'S TROUBLE IS INCREASING.

The Superintendent May Now Be Tried for Slander.

Pastor Brown's Friends Are Wrathy and Criminal Suit is Threatened.

The scandal at the Thirty-fourth street Methodist Church is not yet at an end, and the whole affair may be repeated in the civil and criminal courts before long.

Charges were brought by Mrs. Hattie Long, against George C. Nall, Superintendent of the Sunday School. She charged that Nall and his friend, Charles F. Armstrong, had tried to induce her to take a moonlight trip to the Cliff House. A committee was appointed to investigate the charges and Nall was found guilty. The trial of Armstrong is still pending.

The criminal and civil suits are threatened by the pastor of the church, Rev. E. Francis Brown, who was accused by Nall and Armstrong of corrupt, negligent, and partisan administration, falsehood, and immorality, high impudence, and unministerial conduct.

In proof of these charges the following statement of alleged facts was made:

"That thereafter said Brown was informed that witnesses from his own church in Winnemucca, Nevada, had severally stated that he had insulted, by improper proposals, one of his parishioners there, Mrs. Alfred Cook, and had also in said State of Nevada been guilty of similar improper conduct.

"That said Brown stated he wished all this kept quiet, and that if it was he would withdraw all charges made. That in pursuance of this plan said Brown procured the attendance at his house of said Nall and his wife and said Armstrong and his wife, and in their presence withdrew all charges and stated in that connection that Mrs. Hattie F. Long had lied to him, was a bad woman, and that he (Brown) would not believe her in anything, and that if Mrs. Long had not signed certain papers he would have read her out of the church."

The friends of the pastor now say they will prove the charges to be absolutely false. One of his friends said yesterday:

"These proceedings will probably be taken to the civil and criminal courts. An attempt has been made to blacken the character of the pastor because he refused to allow everybody who felt so inclined to run the church. Mr. Nall has made a grievous mistake, and if he is wise he will get as far away from the church as he can. I see he is quoted as saying that he will join another church. That is a very tame way for a man to act who stated he had affidavits to support his story. I do not believe he has any proof whatever, and I would not be surprised if he were arrested for slander."

FORMER CHIEFS GO INTO BUSINESS.

Charles E. Lloyd, former Chief of Police, has associated himself with a Mr. Beardslee in the real estate business. The gentlemen, under the firm name of Beardslee & Lloyd, are general agents of Alameda county for the Realty Syndicate, with offices in the Macdonough Building.

Charles Gardner, former clerk of the chief, has a grocery store at Twelfth and Market street, while W. H. Fair, former chief of the Fire Department is conducting a saloon at Crockett.

TEACHERS' EXCURSION.

Teachers' excursion to the meeting of the National Educational Association in Washington, D. C., at greatly reduced rates, will leave San Francisco at 8 A. M., Thursday, June 30th, under the personal management of Principal Albert Lyser of the John Swett Grammar school, San Francisco. Inquiries may be addressed to him and also to ex-Superintendent Madison Babcock, San Francisco, or to Superintendent J. W. McClymonds, Oakland, Cal.

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PHIL M. WALSH, Attorney-at-Law, City Justices' Court building, S. E. corner Broadway and Eighth sts.

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BEN F. WOOLNER, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law and Notary Public, 1008½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE, rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY, Attorneys-at-Law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 957 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st., Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 88.

JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, room 8, District Attorney's office, Court House.

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Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Weather forecast: Cloudy tonight and Wednesday; light northerly, changing to southerly wind.

TUESDAY.....MAY 31, 1898.

The flags yesterday told of sorrow as well as glory. The standards that had been flying so proudly at the tops of the poles were all half-masted as a tribute to the memory of our soldier dead.

In addition to the 200,000 volunteers already called for, it is believed that another summons will shortly be issued. This time, though, the men are wanted for home defenses and not to go and fight the Spaniards—we have more than enough under arms already to wipe out every Don that shows himself.

The Memorial Day parade yesterday was an honor to the whole Bay District. Every section had its representatives in line and the result was one of the most patriotic spectacles that San Francisco has ever witnessed. Hundreds of thousands of onlookers lined the route of march and the tumultuous receptions accorded to the various divisions as they passed by shows how intensely the war fever is raging in this part of the country.

The Gold Commissioner in charge of the Klondike diggings has shown himself to be level-headed by refusing to allow the recording of claims on creeks where gold is not found in pay quantities. This means that the wildcat promoters will have to content themselves with what they have already got, or else go out of business, and it is a good thing a quietus has been put on them, for they have been forming stock companies on claims that at no stage of their history can pay a cent on the dollar.

The English love of fair play will stamp out what few monarchical sympathies might have existed over there as regards Spain. The point at issue will be the imprisonment of their correspondent, Mr. Knight, who was thrown into Cabanas jail while touching land under a flag of truce to effect the exchange of the American newspaper men. All the English papers are loud in their denunciation of the outrage and although, of course, Spain will hasten to set him free, the mischief has already been done.

It will soon be time to prepare for the Fourth of July for as has been well said, it should take the whole month of June this year to make arrangements for the day on which we celebrate our independence. We will have many events to signalize this year in addition to our political emancipation for we can work in a public thanksgiving over Dewey's victory, and we will doubtless also have one to commemorate in connection with the occasion when our Atlantic squadron and the Spanish ships line up for battle.

An amusing and yet impressive incident of the big parade in San Francisco yesterday was the detachment of small fry that brought up the rear. The youngsters had attired themselves as nearly as possible in semblance to the soldiers and with sacks circled around their shoulders for blankets they marched by fours with a drummer at their head and an officer in a uniformed coat they had unearthed from some family storeroom. Their equipment was complete even to having a standard and a detachment of Red Cross followers and the crowd gave the patriotic youngsters a laugh and a hearty cheer as they went by. The oldest of the throng could not have been more than ten.

A good story has just leaked out regarding the new Examiner building. Its architectural beauties were devised long before there were any indications of trouble between America and Spain and in harmony with the history of the State it was designed on Spanish lines.

In order to have his establishment in thorough accord with the building, the lessee of the dry goods store on the ground floor had his awnings made up of the Spanish colors and these up to Saturday last have been prominently displayed over his windows. Someone happening to notice the incongruity of having the Spanish colors waving to the breeze over a paper so patriotic as the Examiner, dropped a letter to the managers of the building, calling attention to the matter and the result was that Saturday last the Spanish-colored awnings came down and inoffensive ones were hoisted in their place.

THE LEAUGE CONVENTION.

The convention in San Francisco today of the delegates representing the Republican League clubs of the State means in one sense the formal opening of the campaign for although no actual field work will be done until July or August, from now on the plans formulated in convention will be put into effect. The idea of having these League meetings is a good one for although they were originally planned with the sole object of keeping the party united on a national policy they have since been extended in a way that sheds a beneficial influence on State politics, for amicable discussions are held as to the best way to secure success for the party in local elections.

With so many well-matched candidates in the field for Governor this year great care has had to be taken in the selection of delegates so as not to color the convention one way or the other, as for instance in the case of Alameda county's representatives who are equally divided in municipal strength between the Davis and Pardee factions. It is the intention also to preserve the balances of the various candidates in the convention as much as possible, the sole goal essayed being how best to secure the success of the Republican ticket.

The task is certainly not a difficult one this year for the war policy of the Administration is popular and although strictly a national issue cannot fail to have an effect on local politics. It is in fact confidently believed that it will be the overshadowing influence in the coming campaign and if this is so then Republican victory is assured. The league delegates will doubtless work upon these lines primarily and then will settle on the best way possible all other matters that may have effect on the outcome. The interchanging of ideas cannot but be productive of great good so the Republican League Convention will be hailed with satisfaction by every member of the party and its labors will be awaited with interest by politicians and the public alike.

The secret service agents employed by our Government to ascertain to what extent the spy bureau maintained by the Spaniards at Montreal is being manipulated and the sources from which it gets its information, are being helped along very considerably by the letter-writing propensities of the Spanish diplomats. According to the dispatches from the Canadian city, the members of the Spanish Embassy are very much worried over the fact that a letter has been stolen from their quarters by one of the American spies. As the document is said to be of considerable importance, there may be a little sensation to spring on our side of the line by and by.

They say the devil must be given his due, and this being so, a word of commendation is certainly coming to Marshal Blanco. The island government as administered by him is far more liberal than that of any of his predecessors, not even excepting Martinez Campos, and as far as fighting is concerned, he is showing himself a good general in the preparations he has made for the coming of our troops. There is no doubt that our army of invasion will be given one or two pretty hot battles before the white flag of capitulation is run up by the Captain General.

The Socialists are early birds all right as far as their State ticket is concerned, but there are no "worms" around for them, nor are there likely to be any as long as they continue their present policy. An idea of the fallacy of their doctrines can be obtained from their having passed a resolution condemning the capitalistic classes in general. They claim to represent the workingmen's cause, but the whole world knows that labor cannot exist without capital—as a matter of fact, the two conditions are equally dependent on each other.

Another object lesson showing the necessity for the Nicaragua Canal was given in connection with the sensational story that Cervera's squadron was heading for San Francisco. With the canal in operation, a surprise of the sort would be impossible, for the waterway would, of course, be closed to the enemy, and our warships could be transferred from the Atlantic to the Pacific or vice versa before a hostile fleet had more than made one-third of its headway in a journey around the Horn.

General Merritt was wise in requesting the War Department to give him a fair quota of regulars in the army with which he is to take possession of the Philippines. Our volunteers are willing and brave enough, but they are too exuberant in their patriotism, and not sufficiently amenable to discipline. The regulars will, however, be a good balance-wheel for them and the interweaving of the two elements should make a splendid fighting force.

A general error is being made as regards the spot where Gladstone is buried, the current impression being that his body lies near that of Lord Beaconsfield, his life-long rival. This is not the case. Beaconsfield's remains are not in Westminster Abbey at all, but were interred on his family estate in accordance with his wish. A memorial statue of the dead Earl is near Gladstone's grave, that is all.

Now that the Yukon river is reported to be open, it is time some of that $25,000,000,000 said to be on the dumps at Dawson was putting in an appearance. The excitement has been on nearly a year now and not enough gold has yet come out of the country to defray the transportation and other expenses of those who have gone in.

The deadly doughnut has been tabooed by the military authorities, twenty-six soldiers having been put on the sick list in one day as a result of eating the alleged delicacy. Another American institution is evidently about to die out.

If Schley has been given the detail to have it out with Cervera, Sampson's hope for glory vanishes, for there will be nothing left for him to fight.

THE PARTNER.

"I have brought this pink silk and other materials for a bonnet, Mrs. Martin. The narrow ribbon and lace are for the trimmings, the widest ribbon for strings—and I want it finished by 11 o'clock tomorrow."

"Will you not wait one day longer, Miss Grosvenor? My milliners are all but one absent for their summer vacations; and we have now a bonnet scarcely yet commenced, for a lady who wishes to leave the city by tomorrow afternoon."

"Very well," said Miss Jane Grosvenor, haughtily. "I had supposed it was merely necessary to leave an order here. There are other establishments, however, where millinery is not a branch of the business only, and where my patronage may not be quite despised."

"Your patronage despised, Miss Grosvenor! It is my pride to have your orders executed here. Do not think of going elsewhere."

"Then, Mrs. Martin," said Miss Grosvenor, "I insist that no prior order shall take precedence of mine. I wish this bonnet finished to take with me, if I leave the city tomorrow."

"I wonder if Mrs. Martin thought I would delay having my bonnet made to oblige her, or any customer of hers!" said Miss Grosvenor, indignantly (after reentering her carriage from Mrs. Martin's store), to her fashionable acquaintance, Milly Jansen. "Such airs as these tradespeople do put on! I am tired of this republicanism! You know, Mill, Mrs. Martin's is a fancy goods store, and I only go there because my orders for millinery, when left with her, have usually been executed in such superior style. The reason why I want to go tomorrow is because papa's junior partner, Mr. Randolph, who has charge of the branch house at N——, is expected to go on with his sister, Mrs. Walsh, and her husband, to the Renwick House. But I presume their stay at the Renwick will be brief—as they are intending to go further north—and if I don't reach there in time they may be away. Papa is a large owner in the Renwick House, and has rooms for himself and family engaged throughout the season. I hope Mr. Randolph will stay, and let his sister and her husband go on without him. He has dined at our house by invitation once or twice. Papa thinks he has managed the business capitally at N——."

"Are you acquainted with Mr. and Mrs. Walsh, Jane?"

"No; not acquainted. They were present at a reception that I attended at Mrs. Morris' some time ago. By the way, Mill, I have never seen Mrs. Morris or Florence since, and I am quite sure they have moved out of this neighborhood."

"They are living somewhere in the city, I believe. They have become quite poor. Florence is a milliner; so I suppose, of course, Jane, that you do not care to renew their acquaintance?"

"I should think not," said Miss Jane Grosvenor, scornfully.

After Mrs. Martin had taken the materials left by Miss Grosvenor into an adjoining room, she addressed a pretty young lady who was busily engaged with a bonnet of soft drab silk.

"Miss Morris, you must put aside that bonnet for Mrs. Walsh at once. I have here other work for you. Miss Grosvenor wishes this work done, and she is one of my wealthiest customers. So I prefer that you execute this order first."

"But, Mrs. Martin," said Florence Morris, "Mrs. Walsh wanted her bonnet finished by tomorrow, and I have no time to spare for new orders if this is to be completed."

"I am aware of that," said Mrs. Martin. "Mrs. Walsh can wait. Why, her work did not pay me over one-half last year what Miss Jane Grosvenor's did."

"Mrs. Martin, said Florence, appealpeilingly, "I fear Mrs. Walsh will be so disappointed. Her arrangements are nearly all made for leaving the city tomorrow."

"I believe I did not ask your advice," said Mrs. Martin, coldly. "I wish to be obeyed, not directed, by you."

So the unfinished drab bonnet was put aside, and Florence was soon busily engaged with Miss Grosvenor's instead.

A few minutes afterward Mrs. Walsh entered the store and was invited by Mrs. Martin into the room adjoining.

"Ah, Florence, good afternoon," said Mrs. Walsh as she came in. "I called, Mrs. Martin, to request that my bonnet might be sent as early as 11 o'clock in the forenoon, if it is finished by that hour."

"I am very sorry, Mrs. Walsh, said Mrs. Martin, blandly, "that your bonnet will not be ready then; not before the following day."

"What has caused the delay?" asked Mrs. Walsh, in some surprise.

"A new order, Miss Grosvenor, quite unexpectedly to me, brought some work which she wished completed by tomorrow. She seemed quite unwilling to be disappointed, and I concluded to defer all other work in order to oblige one of my best-paying customers."

"Miss Jane Grosvenor of —— street?"

"Yes."

"I am rather sorry and disappointed, Mrs. Martin, for my husband had arranged his business, and I my housekeeping matters, to leave tomorrow; and my brother is expected on from N—— to accompany us."

"I wished to accommodate Miss Grosvenor," said Mrs. Martin. "Florence, have those two bias pieces of pink silk of an even width, and arrange the narrow ribbon in bows in trimming."

"Ah, Amy, good afternoon," said Mrs. Walsh's brother, Ralph Randolph, as he came into her pleasant parlor the next afternoon. "Quite ready for a start to the Renwick House?"

"No, Ralph; Mr. Walsh and I are not intending to go until tomorrow. Oh, I wish you would be content to wait, too."

"And what occasioned the postponement, Amy?"

"It was occasioned by Miss Jane Grosvenor."

"Miss Grosvenor?"

"Yes. I had left an order for a bonnet at Mrs. Martin's, hoping to have it finished by this forenoon. But Miss Grosvenor went afterward, wishing to have some work done, and Mrs. Martin preferred that I should be the disappointed one, if either, my cutsom having been of less money value than Miss Grosvenor's. I have concluded to leave no more work at Mrs. Martin'saslju, no more orders with Mrs. Martin. I was very glad that Mr. Walsh was willing to delay our going until tomorrow."

"And I won't object to waiting until then."

"Oh, Ralph! I'm so pleased, and I was going in an hour or two to call at Mrs. Morris'. Perhaps you will go there with me?"

"Yes, Amy. They are living in the same place, I suppose?"

"Why, Ralph, and did you not know that Mrs. Morris, having met with large money losses, she and Florence have removed to some rooms at 19 B— street? Their circumstances are quite different now, and nearly all their former acquaintances have deserted them."

"And I have appeared to desert them, too," said Mr. Randolph, "but I was quite unaware of their removal. How did Mrs. Morris meet with financial losses, Amy?"

"By the failure of the mercantile house of Webb & Co., in which she had invested largely. I wanted Mrs. Morris and Florence to come here for a while, but they wished to remove with as little delay as possible to R—— street. Mrs. Morris has shown me many a favor in the past. I was very sorry for her, but she has semed to lose none of her former cheerfulness. Florence is a milliner, now, Ralph. Happily, she has some good republican ideas, and a good deal of republican independence."

Florence and Mr. Randolph were not new acquaintances, but he had never cared so much for her as when he saw her that day in a plainly furnished room on R—— street, and Miss Grosvenor was already on her way to the Renwick House, having the pink silk bonnet finished that morning by Florence in her possession.

The next evening, while supper was being served in the spacious dining-room of the Renwick House, Miss Grosvenor saw, near one of the tables, Mr. Randolph, his sister and her husband. Miss Jane bowed to the junior partner, and afterward in the parlor was introduced by him to Mr. and Mrs. Walsh. With great affability did Miss Grosvenor express the wish that their stay at the Renwick House would be pleasant to them, and regretted that they were intending to remain so short a time. Her invitation to them to ride out with her in her carriage during the afternoon was politely declined, as they were expecting so soon to leave. When they left the hotel the following day, Miss Grosvenor was waiting to bid the Miss Grosvenor was waiting to bid them "good-by," but the junior partner expressed to her no regrets at going.

"Is my bonnet finished?" inquired Miss Grosvenor in Mrs. Martin's fancy goods store, one morning in autumn.

"Yes; don't you think it has been greatly improved?" said Mrs. Martin, bringing from her inner room a handsome brown velvet bonnet with strings of rich brown ribbon.

"Oh, it looks almost quite new," exclaimed Miss Grosvenor. "How nicely you matched the shade of velvet in the ribbon! I am very glad I had it made over. I wore it scarcely half a dozen times last winter. Wrap it up with care, Mrs. Martin, and when I go I will take it with me in the carriage."

"You had it done in excellent time, Miss Grosvenor," said Mrs. Martin. "One of the cleverest millinersaaa nm "One of the most skillful milliners I ever had finished this work and left yesterday. She is a Miss Morris. I believe she formerly lived in your neighborhood. She is engaged to be married to a Mr. Randolph of N—."

"Not Florence Morris!" exclaimed Miss Grosvenor.

"Yes, and Mr. Randolph has a sister, a Mrs. Walsh, living in this city, and she and her husband have requested that the wedding may be at their house. I was glad, Miss Grosvenor, that your bonnet was brought in time to be made over by Miss Morris before she left."

The wedding came off at Mrs. Walsh's a few weeks afterward, and after Ralph and Florence Randolph had left for N—— Mrs. Morris remained. She had been a widow for several years and now accepted the kindly-given invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Walsh to make their house her home. Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor and their daughter Jane were all invited to attend the wedding, but the family was represented by Mrs. Grosvenor only. Mr. Grosvenor had a business engagement and Jane did not wish to go.—New York News.

Patriotic Girls.

On Tuesday morning last the Smith College girls had an opportunity of seeing at close range what the parting of thirty years ago must have been when the soldier boys went away. A great crowd gathered at the station at 8:15 to cheer the soldiers on their way to the State camp. The band played patriotic airs, cannon saluted, bells rang, whistles blew and the people shouted themselves hoarse, and the college girls helped in the enthusiasm. For a week or more the college organ had been out of repair, but at chapel that morning it was ready for use again. Dr. Blodgett played "The Star Spangled Banner" as the girls marched out two by two, and even the girl who did not sympathize with the war felt a thrill of the patriotism on the occasion.

Mount Holyoke has not been behind her sister college in expression of patriotism. On April 27th a flag was presented to the students by Mr. Hill, the steward, and a flag staff by A. L. Willister. At 8:30 o'clock in the morning, the girls marched, two by two, in long lines from the different houses converging on the south campus, where after the formal ceremonies the girls sang together, alternating college songs with national airs.

On May 2d another American flag was presented to the college, this time by the Robert O. Tyler Grand Army post of Hartford, Connecticut. At chapel Miss Hazen read a letter of presentation from the doners, saying:

"In this time of war and battle when we, as true Americans wish to show our colors, it is the desire of the members of Robert O. Tyler post, No. 50, of the Grand Army of the Republic, Hartford, Connecticut, to present this flag to Mount Holyoke College. Throw it to the breeze and there let it wave until victory is ours."

As Miss Hazen finished reading the letter there was an outburst of applause; the audience rose as one girl and sang "America."—New York Sun.

For Lazy Cyclists.

Bicycle greasing is a new industry, which has been developed outside of Paris to a great extent within the past few months, and it will enter upon greater extension now that the fine weather has set in. The "graisseurs pour bicyclettes," as they are called, are, more correctly speaking, oilers, and usually post themselves at the bottoms of hills. When a bicyclist approaches they offer to oil his machine before he makes an ascent up one of the slopes. They are also dotted along the level roads, ready for custom, and contrive, thanks to the progress of the sport, to earn a fair share of money by the end of the day. The oilers are chiefly elderly men, but not a few lazy youths have joined their ranks, and compete with them in a petty industry which is something lucrative. The bicycle is thus extending trade in many ways. This is the reason that in many French rural districts the village hostelries have assumed a spick-and-span appearance, their owners being better able than heretofore to afford money for paint, whitewash and general ornamentation.

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CARICATURE CAUSES STUDENTS MUCH TROUBLE

Berkeley High School Editor Makes Fun of the Teachers.

A Resume of News and Gossip From the Suburban Town.

BERKELEY, May 31.—Crimson and Gold, the annual of the Berkeley High School, contains caricatures of two teachers which have aroused a storm of indignation. The trouble may result in the discrediting of the student editors diplomas. The two ladies are represented as traditional "schoolmarms," with spectacled noses, scanty hair, wrinkled faces and threatening scowls.

The caricatures were inserted in the annual to "get even" with the two ladies, who were the only teachers who refused photographs of themselves to the student editors, declaring it immodest to allow them to be printed. They declared that once before, when they had consented to sit for a group picture of the faculty for the school paper, the picture had been cut out and pasted on the walls of the boys' room, and moustaches pencilled on them and pipes put in their mouths.

Miss Alice Rising, a junior in the University of California, has been elected a delegate to the convention of the Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity which meets on August 20th at Lincoln, Neb.

"Town and Gown," the club of the faculty and society ladies of Berkeley, held its final meeting for the year at the First Congregational Church parlors yesterday afternoon. New members were elected as follows: Mrs. Thomas Rickard, Mrs. Thomas Sedgwick, Mrs. Douglas Keith, Mrs. Beals, Mrs. E. S. Gray, Miss Maud Wellendorff, Mrs. J. B. Woolsey, and Mrs. John Crawford.

The graduating class of the Berkeley High School will give its class day production at Shattuck Hall to-night. "Esmeralda" will be acted, with the following cast: Old Man Rogers, William E. Basham; Lydia Ann Rogers, June S. Chappell; Esmeralda, Bessie E. Simpson; Dave Hardy, J. Loving Barker; Estabrook, H. Leo Dungan; Jack Desmond, Hershel H. Macdonald; Nora Desmond, Edna W. A. Ryder; Kate Desmond, Carolyn S. Morse; Marquis de Montessin, Frank Baird; George Drew, Harry H. Johnson; Maid to the Desmonds, Edna Potwin. There will be an address by President Tyrrell Humlin, a class prophecy by Miss Elsie Nutting, and a class history by Miss Enid Bird.

Professor and Mrs. Armin O. Leuschner gave a brilliant reception to Professor and Mrs. James E. Keeler yesterday. Professor Keeler is the new director of Lick Observatory.

The Berkeley Pardee Club will meet to-morrow to elect officers.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Misses Edith and Eva Thomson of Sacramento are visiting in this city.

Miss Mayme Erlewine of Sacramento is spending several weeks in this city.

Will and Lloyd Hennessy were in Santa Rosa last week to attend the commencement exercises at the Ursuline Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis are spending a few days in Santa Rosa.

Miss Emma Reier has returned to Stockton after spending a couple of weeks in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rowe of Oakland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith of Stockton last week. Mr. Rowe is worthy grand patron, O. E. S., of the State of California, and Mrs. Rowe is worthy matron of Oak Leaf Chapter.

Dudley Kinsell has gone to the Santa Cruz mountains for a couple of weeks.

Colonel H. Bendel was a recent guest at the Hotel Vendome, San Jose.

Stephen Gage and family will spend the summer at the Vendome, San Jose.

Mrs. J. S. C. Akerly is visiting relatives at Acampo.

Mrs. T. A. Grove, who has been spending the past fortnight in this city, has returned to Stockton.

C. R. Morse, C. A. Elston, T. A. Smith and L. A. Picotti, the well known musical quartette of the University of California, will leave for Washington and Oregon Wednesday and will later go to Europe to complete their musical studies.

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Another Number on the List of Eureka House Victims.

William Maxwell, a robust farmer lad of some 22 years, retired to his room in the Eureka House at 11:30 o'clock last night, and nothing was heard of him until he was carried out this morning, unconscious and limp from the effect of escaping gas.

Maxwell is a stranger in Oakland, hailing from Lankershim, California, a small town on the Valley Railroad near Madera. He has been in Oakland but a few hours, and was here on a little jaunt to take in Oakland and its contiguous suburbs. Maxwell left home on the 27th inst., and traveled directly to San Francisco where he spent two days in reviewing the main points of interest to a traveler., as well as satisfying his rural curiosity in matters pertaining to a great metropolis.

It was on the evening of Memorial Day that the young man crossed the bay to this city, and late at night, tired from his day's pleasure, he walked into the Eureka House to put up for the night. He registered, paid for his room and retired in room number 11.

About 8:30 o'clock this morning the chambermaid, while making her usual rounds through the halls, detected the smell of gas. She could not locate it, however, and some time passed before she climbed out on to the porch and threw open the window of Maxwell's room. There peering through the open casement a gruesome sight met her gaze. Lying in perfect quietude, his face black, and his mouth bubbling with froth, lay Maxwell, breathing in an atmosphere of poison that had already well-nigh dispelled his life.

The maid hastily called a painter who was working near by, and together they entered the room and made the first efforts toward reviving the dying man.

The patrol wagon was summoned and Captain Wilson quickly responded. Maxwell was hurriedly dressed and carried to the Receiving Hospital.

Medical attendance and the most careful nursing was given the unfortunate man. During the entire forenoon the physician's efforts were baffled, and he still lay as mute and unconscious as when first brought to the hospital.

Late today Dr. Stratton pronounced the man's condition as very critical and expressed serious doubts as to his recovery. Only his constitution can accomplish this unexpected feat.

At the hotel very little is known more than has already been said. H. Lanz, the proprietor, and Emil W. Splitd, the night clerk, both declare that Maxwell is a stranger and that they know nothing of him, except his unfortunate accident. S. Sorensen, a lineman on the East Oakland Electric Railway, who occupies the apartments adjoining Maxwell's, says he smelled gas early this morning, but forgot to say anything about it. He went to work without any investigation.

Late this afternoon Maxwell rallied at the Receiving Hospital and showed signs of intelligence. Gradually the hypodermic injections took effect and favorable signs were manifest. The young fellow slowly recovered his memory and told all he knew of the occurence.

Maxwell said he was twenty-one years of age and resided on a farm near Madera. He left there three days ago to visit San Francisco and the adjacent cities. For two days he held forth in the metropolis and last night crossed over so that he might go out to the State University today. He went to the Eureka House, and retired. The gas was burning when he entered the room, and he distinctly remembers turning it out himself, for he was unused to it and fumbled around considerably. That is the last he remembers. The boy was very tired and went to sleep as soon as he struck the pillow.

The theory of suicide is scouted. The fact that the window was open one-half an inch would indicate that there was no intention of that sort. And it was this very fact that may save Maxwell's life. Had his window been completely closed, with the gas streaming full blast, as the painter who entered the room avers, there would have been no chance for life.

It was Maxwell's intention to return home tomorrow, but his condition will delay the home going.

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BRIDGE PLANS AGAIN CAUSE MORE TROUBLE.

Supervisors Telegraph to Washington Today.

There is another hitch in the building of the new Webster street bridge. This morning the Supervisors discovered that the time granted by the War Department for the completion of the bridge lapses tomorrow. The discovery caused consternation among the Supervisors, as the rules of the War Department are decidedly strict, and failure to obey them makes the delinquents liable to a fine of $5,000.

County Clerk Jordan announced that he had forwarded the accepted plans and specifications to the War Department, but had received no reply.

"This is a matter that must be attended to at once," said District Attorney Snook. "It is of the utmost importance that the orders be complied with, and failure to do makes you liable to a charge of misdemeanor. I would suggest that the Clerk be instructed to telegraph to Washington immediately in regard to this and ask for an extension of time."

Supervisor Mitchell moved that Mr. Jordan telegraph a request for six months' extension of time.

"That will not give us time enough to build the bridge," said Mr. Wells.

"You had better ask for only six months at the present time and then ask for a longer extension if necessary," advised Mr. Snook.

His advice was accepted, and the motion passed. Mr. Jordan will send the necessary telegram this afternoon.

A SOLDIER'S WIFE ASKS FOR RELIEF.

Supervisors Give to Mrs. Spofford Assistance This Morning.

The wife of a soldier applied for relief to the county Supervisors this morning. When the first call to arms arrived W. E. Spofford of Berkeley responded immediately. He is now on his way to Manila on the City of Peking, but in the cottage at Berkeley are the wife and the two young sons penniless and in want for the common necessities of life. Spofford is a mechanic and made good wages, but his patriotism led him to leave a lucrative position to go and fight for the flag.

The case was referred to Supervisor Mitchell, who wrote out an order for groceries. The Red Cross Society will be asked to aid in caring for the woman.

THE RECIPROCITY TREATY WITH FRANCE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, May 31.—At the meeting of the Cabinet today M. Hanotaux, Minister of Foreign Affairs, announced the signing of the commercial agreement with the United States. He pointed out that the arrangements were indicative of a friendly sentiment, which the two Governments showed in their reciprocal desire to improve the commercial relations between the two countries.

POLICE PICKINGS.

All Sorts and Conditions of Men Before Judge Allen.

There was a full dock and a very lengthy calendar in the Police Court this morning, the holiday drunks numbering seventeen. Twelve of these were fined and five were allowed to go by Judge Allen.

The examination of Noble Davis and Fred Krautz, who were charged with robbing M. L. Jones, an old man who lives on Fortieth street, was set for June 7th.

The cases of Moses Helman and Joseph Dorety, peddlers, charged with embezzling $25 from their employer, Mose Cohen, were continued till Thursday to be set.

M. T. Conway, who shot a dog on Washington street Saturday night, had his trial for shooting in the city limits set for tomorrow.

The sentence of William Lewis for interfering with an officer who was making an arrest, went over till tomorrow.

The cases of battery against Gus Demig and Charles Johnson were dismissed on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Melvin.

The trials of Otto Wilhelm, Frank Cronin and William Gaines, all charged with disturbing the peace, went over till tomorrow.

Manuel Lauze, a boy charged with train jumping, forfeited $2 bail.

The charge of petit larceny against Robert Ash, an East Oakland youth, was dismissed.

J. D. Baker, charged with cruelty to animals, had his case set for June 2d.

The hearing of old man Martin and his son for burglary, in breaking into the room of their tenant, Mrs. Sarah Roberts, and stealing $7.50, was continued till tomorrow to allow the filing of complaints.

The charge of petit larceny against Frank Schottler, the San Pablo avenue jeweler, was dismissed. Schottler was accused of fleecing Mrs. L. S. Osborn out of $75 by the "watch club" scheme. Since his arrest he has refunded the money.

City Hall in Danger.

There was considerable excitement at the City Hall this morning, the cause being a blaze in one of the boxes filled with sawdust, which are used as cuspidors. Some one had dropped a lighted cigar stump into the sawdust and it had evidently been smouldering for some time. Suddenly a flame shot forth, and the loungers evidently feared that the building might become ignited, for the greatest commotion prevailed. Finally a bucket of water was thrown into the box by Janitor John Wilds, and the blaze was extinguished.

Will Dance Tomorrow Night.

The Big Doings Social Club of West Oakland will give its second dancing party at Magnolia Hall tomorrow evening.

SEARCHING FOR THE LOST BODY.

Friends Grief Stricken Over the Drowning of Holmes.

No Trace of the Remains, Although the Estuary Has Been Dragged.

There are several crews at work today dragging the estuary in an attempt to recover the remains of Vincent Holmes, the young man who was drowned late Sunday afternoon. The matter has not yet been officially reported to the coroner.

Holmes was struck by a swinging boom on the yacht Thelma and was knocked into the estuary opposite the old narrow gauge station. The Thelma was returning from the class races of the California Yacht Club. She was being sailed by a man named Stevenson, and Holmes and a young companion were riding on a rail. In making a tack the boom swung round and Holmes and his companion were struck full in the chests. Holmes disappeared before aid could reach him.

The young man's companion was able to save himself by swimming to Peterson's steam launch. He was taken aboard and placed ashore without revealing his identity.

Young Holmes was 22 years old and was employed as an electrician by the Bell Telephone Company. He lived with his mother and two sisters at 1127 Broadway, San Francisco. His father, Victor Holmes, who was a California pioneer, died twenty years ago.

The yacht Thelma is a San Francisco craft and is owned by Samuel Stevenson and his brother.

In speaking of the sad affair yesterday the unfortunate young man's mother, Mrs. Hildegard Holmes, said:

"I don't know what to say or do. The men on the yacht did all they could for him, but he couldn't swim and was always afraid of getting in the water, though he was a devoted yachtsman. We don't understand exactly why he was not saved. Another man who was knocked off the yacht at the same time was rescued, but he could swim and was picked up by a steam launch.

"Victor was a great friend of Samuel Stevenson and his brother, who own the Thelma. He watched the building of the yacht from the laying of the keel, and my daughters were aboard when she was launched. I know that everything possible was done to help him, but he couldn't swim. He left Sunday morning for two days' pleasure and was to have been home tonight."

THE FRIGHTFUL DEED OF A MANIAC.

English Crate-Maker Kills His Wife and Five Children.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, May 31.—Frederick Hall, a crate-maker living at Burslem, the principal town in the district called "The Potteries," in Staffordshire, this morning murdered his wife and five children with a bill hook, and then committed suicide by cutting his throat. It is supposed that the man had suddenly become insane.

No Politics in the Army.

Geo. C. Hunt of Oakland, who had been requested by his brother-in-law, Governor Richards of Wyoming, to assist the Wyoming volunteers in any possible way while they are encamped in San Francisco, had an experience Saturday in army affairs. In company with the quartermaster of the battalion he called on Col. Baldwin, department commissary, to secure some needed supplies for the men. Col. Baldwin had just had a visit from a prominent San Francisco attorney politician, who advocated the appointment of a friend of his to a clerkship under Col. Baldwin. The Colonel was evidently out of humor with politicians and emphatically stated that merit, not political influence, was what counted in army matters, as far as he was concerned. After an explanation by Mr. Hunt and the quartermaster, their requests were all granted and the rations dispatched to camp. The battalion to a man is eager for service and the boys were the first State volunteers to be reported ready by their Governor, they feel they should not lose their turn to get to the front.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Benjamin B. Stanley, San Francisco	27
Lena M. Shepard, New York	25
James N. Collins, Oakland	47
Francis L. Yerxa, Oakland	37
Cyril L. Devere, San Francisco	26
Louise V. Johnson, Oakland	17
William Haller, Seattle	36
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YOUNG LADIES WILL CARE FOR THE NEEDY ONES.

Wives and Children of Soldiers to Be Assisted.

Noble Work Started Today by a Band of Oakland's Daughters.

Bent upon accomplishing a charity that shall be both broad and far reaching in its results, and determined to lend material aid to the forces which are to battle abroad for the United States, by caring for and protecting the homes and families of those who move to the front, a number of young ladies, well known in Oakland as daughters of the leading households, have perfected an organization which is to be a fixture in the field of charitable work.

At the home of Attorney George W. Baker, 1155 Madison street, the following young ladies assembled this morning to take the first step in their great undertaking: Miss Jean Howard, Miss Irene Baker, Miss Florence Sharon, Miss Edith Selby, Miss Sadie Hale, Miss Jennie Crellin, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Bertha McElrath, and Miss Grace Gorrill.

The young people banded together as the Young Ladies' Relief Society for the Aid of the Wives and Children of Volunteers, proceeded at once to an election of officers which resulted as follows:

President, Miss Irene Baker; vice-president, Miss Florence Sharon; secretary, Miss Jean Howard; treasurer, Miss Grace Gorrill. A number of committees were then selected.

The plan of the organization is to gather money and provisions for the aid of the helpless ones left behind by volunteers who move to the front from this county.

No mother or crying babe shall know want, where the young ladies find the husband and father was sacrificed for his country's sake, and the helping hand shall grope among the most humble and lowly of Oakland's homes, in search of the deserving.

The work to be carried on is in no way connected with the Red Cross Society or affiliated either with the organization across the bay which has undertaken a similar task. The society meets on Friday next at 3 o'clock P. M. and their headquarters will be established.

The community will be depended upon to enable these young women to accomplish a great relief. "Money and provisions in whatever shape or amount obtainable are to be gratefully accepted in the work, and then dispensed where the greatest need exists."

Miss Baker, the President, is a bright and popular member of the younger set, and gathered about her are some of Oakland's best-known daughters, all resolved to do an effective work. More members are to be taken in.

While the young ladies were in session to-day, T. A. Donovan of Lorin reported a pitiful case where an enlisted soldier had been compelled to leave a helpless wife and three babes behind him. Miss Baker, as president, at once directed a committee to investigate the case and afford instant relief, the young ladies present agreeing to provide for the emergency.

A well-known physician has offered his services to the society, saying that he would treat those cared for free of charge.

The society merits the city's best encouragement, and its unselfish work ought not to be permitted to suffer for support.

OSCAR S. STRAUS MINISTER TO TURKEY.

A Successor to Angell is Nominated by the President.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The President to-day sent these nominations to the Senate:

Oscar S. Straus of New York, to be Minister to Turkey; James W. Davidson of Minnesota, to be Consul at Tamsui, Formosa.

A RUN ON THE BANK OF SPAIN

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, May 31.—There is much interest in the silver market owing to the run on the Bank of Spain, where a semi-panic is said to prevail. Large orders are expected, as the Mint is reported to be turning out half a million pesetas daily.

COURT DECISION ON CIVIL SERVICE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The United States Supreme Court contended that the United States District Court for West Virginia had no jurisdiction to sit as a court of equity in the matter of dismissals under the civil service laws, and reversed the decree of that court which restrained the Collector of Internal Revenue from removing certain gaugers, store-keepers, etc.

ESLABE'S FATE ONE WEEK FARTHER AWAY.

The sentence of Joaquin Eslabe, who was last week found guilty of murder in the first degree, was today continued for one week.

THE RED CROSS IS NOW FULLY ORGANIZED.

Ladies Adopt By-laws and Constitution This Morning.

The Red Cross Society adopted the constitution and by laws this morning. The constitution is similar to that adopted by the original society at Dansville, New York, over which Miss Clara Barton presided. Only a few and unimportant changes were made.

The officers who have been serving in the past were re-elected this morning in order that no question might arise in the future. The officers are as follows: President, Mrs. Granville Abbott; vice-presidents, Mrs. G. W. Bunnell and Mrs. J. K. McLean; correspondent secretary, Mrs. J. G. Lemmon; recording secretary, Mrs. F. H. Gray.

The executive board will consist of Mrs Oscar Long, Mrs. John Bakewell, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, and Dr. Myra Knox in conjunction with the other officers.

The society will hold its regular meetings the second Wednesdays of each month at 10 A. M. The annual meeting will occur the second Wednesday in May.

In order that there may be no misunderstanding in the matter, Mrs. Granville Abbott has authoratively announced that the meetings are open to all members who pay the membership fee of $1.

The financial organization has not been completed as yet and before any action is taken, the ladies will confer with I. L. Requa, D. E. Collins, and T. L. Barker in regard to the financial organization.

The finances of the society are in an excellent condition at the present time and numerous contributions are being received. This morning, the Danish Society of Oakland sent a contribution of $10 and Piedmont Parlor, N. S. G. W. sent $50. The musicale given Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Frederick Belcher netted $66.50 for the society. The booth which was placed in front of the Central Bank Building for memorial offerings yesterday, received $21.60 from children and other contributors.

Mrs. I. L. Requa of the emergency committee has issued an appeal for more donations of food, including hard-boiled eggs, meat, milk, bread and onions. Clean clothes, towels and flour sacks are also needed.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian Church have finished another 1,000 bandages and eighty-five pillow-slips for hospital use; 200 comfort bags will soon follow.

Mrs. F. B. Ginn, the financial secretary, made the following report today:

Already acknowledged, $2,629.87; teachers of Central School, $15; Chinese Presbyterian Mission, $13.50; Mrs. Elizabeth A. McDonald, $5; Mr. D. M. Hughes, $5; a Friend, $1; Fabiola Hospital Nurses, $26.50; N. Temescal Presbyterian Church, $3.40; Mrs. Pierce, $5; Mrs. Chauncey Taylor, $20; Daughters of Israel, $20; Letter Carriers' Association, $10; Mrs. Richard Chamberlain, $5; donation, $1; St. Paul's Sunday School, $1.75; Sisters of the Sacred Heart, $6; First Methodist Episcopal Church, $53.65 (pledged by same, $29); enrollments, $11; Mr. A. N. Wachs, $5; Japanese M. E. Mission, $0.75; A. M. E. Church, $1.60; Mrs. A. E. Gleason, $1.25; Mr. Hugh Hamilton, $10; employees Cape Ann Bakery, $15; Mrs. S. L. Austin, $0.95; Rev. N. Tychen, Danish-Norwegian Baptist Church, $5.50; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Higgins, $10; Mrs. John Cushing, collections, $54; total, $3,981.72.

BRIGHT PLAYS TO ENTERTAIN THE PEOPLE.

At the Oakland Theater last night, there was a magnificent production of "Moths," one of the most interesting of the plays of the present time. This is a dramatization of Ouida's celebrated novel of the same name, and unlike most dramatizations, it contains all the well-known characters of the story and at the same time introduces all the most stirring scenes and episodes. The book has had an enormous sale and the success which it achieved did a great deal toward establishing the fame of the gifted novelist.

The presentation of the drama is in the hands of a most capable company, and as a consequence, the tale is told in a most effective manner and to the satisfaction of the audience. Some people are moved to tears by certain of the incidents, but every auditor is strongly impressed with the effectiveness of the portrayal. Frank Lindon has a very strong character in the play and renders it with both grace and ability.

Miss May Nannary is particularly at home in the role of the heroine and is acting in a manner which is a source of pleasure to her friends.

The audience was large and demonstrative and there is sure to be a succession of large houses during the rest of the week.

THE TIVOLI.

At the Tivoli Theater last night "The Poster" entered upon the second week of its successful run. The piece has found favor with the audience. Everybody is whistling its leading airs, and the piece may be continued next week.

THE ALCAZAR.

"The Master of Ceremonies" made a great hit at the Alcazar last night. So pronounced was the success that the actors were enthusiastically cheered in every scene. The play will be continued until next Sunday night.

THE ORPHEUM.

The specialties at the Orpheum this week were received with enthusiasm last night. Every act was re-demanded three or four times. The success of the Orpheum continues most pronounced, and the audience nightly packs the auditorium to the doors.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

That remarkable marine melodrama "The Bottom of the Sea," is the stirring attraction at Morosco's this week. In some respects, this is a most unique drama, showing up the monstrosities which abound in the deep. The play is staged in a most realistic manner.

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SUICIDE OF A MILKMAN IN SAN FRANCISCO

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Ernest Faubel, aged 23 years, was found dead in a public park in this city this morning. He had taken carbolic acid.

Last night Coroner Hawkins received a letter from Faubel in which it was stated that his body could be found at Alta Plaza. A search was made for the remains, but nothing indicating that young Faubel had taken his life was discovered. The search was kept up and at a late hour the young man was found playing a game of "freezeout" in a groggery near his home. He told the reporters that the note might hold good later, and it did. Faubel owned a milk route until a few days ago, when he sold the business. He had been drinking heavily.

THREE COTTAGES ARE DESTROYED.

Disastrous Fire in North Oakland Early This Morning.

A disastrous fire occurred on Alcatraz avenue, between Shattuck and Telegraph avenues, at 2 o'clock this morning, and, as a result, three cottages are now in ashes. The Fire Department was called out, but the scene of the blaze was in the recently annexed district, and there was no water. The blaze was discovered too late for the chemical engine to be of benefit.

It is believed that the fire started in the basement of a partially completed cottage and that the conflagration was caused either by tramps who were sleeping in the basement, or the oils left by the painters employed on the house.

Before the Fire Department arrived upon the scene, the home of J. J. Middleton, next door, became ignited, and later an adjoining cottage, belonging to a Mr. Boyce, caught fire. Most of the furniture in the two occupied cottages was saved, but the buildings were entirely destroyed. It is stated that the loss was covered by insurance.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR ENTERS TWO CONTESTS.

William H. Knight, Public Administrator of Alameda county, to-day filed contests to the petitions of Sophie M. Hartman and Lina Jacobsen for letters of administration on the respective estates of Joseph Hoffman and Theodore Jacobsen, deceased.

The administrator avers that the petitioners are of no blood relation to the decedents, and therefore not qualified to be appointed administratrices. The court continued the hearing one week.

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Alameda County's Representatives Hold a Caucus During the Morning.

James Oliver is Endorsed for Secretary of the Big Conclave and Committeemen Are Chosen.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The delegates to the State Convention of the League of Republican Clubs began to assemble at the League headquarters in the Baldwin Hotel at an early hour today. The Convention did not meet until this afternoon, but politics was incentive to early rising in this instance.

Politics, politics; that was the only topic of conversation. Solpic Craig's gray-red beard was wagging industriously now at this person's ear, now at that of another. From Stockton came a strong delegation and from below in the San Joaquin were men of note at home who looked to be lost here.

At 10:30 o'clock the men of the San Joaquin met and very soon settled everything to their satisfaction—carrying the whole political works in about twenty minutes while the San Francisco, Sacramento, and Alameda county delegations gazed in wholesome awe at the political methods of the men from the interior.

"It may be politics, but it ain't practical," said a man with a San Jose badge, as he moved away from the San Joaquin caucus. Ten minutes later he was the center of a group of which were Henry Dalton, Charles Spear, J. Cal Ewing, and Dr. George C. Pardee.

The Alameda delegates arrived late. At 11 o'clock, Frank Leavitt, A. J. Read, Charles Spear, and Henry Dalton were the the only ones in evidence from Oakland. A few minutes later G. B. Daniels arrived and began to distribute county badges of red silk bearing the legend:

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Then came Dr. Pardee, George Pierce, J. Cal Ewing, W. H. Friend, Guy C. Earl, George Hoguet and one after another the chosen of the clubs until the room swarmed with red-badged ones eagerly stating to all who would listen the claims of this county to the Governorship.

Dr. Pardee, flanked by Assessor Dalton and Recorder Spear, held an informal reception. The delegates from the interior to be very desirous of meeting him as one of Alameda county's Republican candidates for the Gubernatorial nomination.

THE CAUCUS.

At 11:30 o'clock the Alameda county delegation was called together by W. H. Friend, and then the San Joaquin men were given a chance to see how politics are done about the bay.

Judge S. P. Hall was chosen chairman of the delegation. Will H. Friend vice-chairman. Marston Campbell, J. F. Sommers and Mr. McKeown of Livermore secretaries, quicker than their names can be written down, and then Frank A. Leavitt and John Farnum, for the committee on credentials, Dr. Derrick, for the committee on resolutions, were chosen as the county's representatives.

Miles Doody, who had been down in the lobbies for an hour, registered his individual kick in terse language, and a general and collective protest in "the name of the Grand Army." A dozen others, encouraged by Doody's action, joined the chorus of his song. Chairman Friend, as imperturbable as though he had done nothing but manipulate caucuses from his childhood in Chairman Hall's absence, was proceeding with the order of business when Doody interrupted him by saying:

"Who called this meeting anyway? There's only a few of the delegates here. Why don't you wait and give the rest a show. There's a lot of 'em due here in a minute."

"This meeting was called for 11 o'clock," replied Friend.

"I move, Mr. Chairman," said Recorder Spear, "that we cancel all we have done and begin all over again, and so give everybody a show."

Mr. Spear's motion prevailed, and the majority of the delegates having arrived, Doody nodded assent and harmony prevailed.

Again Judge Hall was chosen chairman, W. H. Friend and Rod W. Church vice-chairmen, and Marston Campbell and J. F. Sommers secretaries.

It was moved that a committee of five be appointed by the chairman to select the names of those who should be recommended by the delegation for a place on the committees of the State League, and the motion was carried.

Judge Hall took the chair, having entered while the motion was being put, and named as the committee: A. H. Breed, George Hoguet, J. C. Ellsworth, R. W. Church and George Ingraham.

OLIVER ENDORSED.

The delegation then endorsed James Oliver as its choice for secretary of the State League. A recess of five minutes was taken that the committee might select names for places on the convention committees. The committee named the following delegates:

Committee on Credentials—Frank A. Leavitt and C. A. Fawcett; Committee on Resolutions—W. S. O'Brien; Committee on Time and Place—Harry Winnegar; Committee on Constitution—J. A. Farnum.

The caucus listened to this report and adjourned.

The Pardee delegates claim that the caucus demonstrates that they have the majority of the delegates and they are correspondingly jubilant. They are also doing earnest missionary work in behalf of the man whose cause they have espoused.

Anti-convention politics apparently settled about the positions of president and secretary of the State League. For the former office, Colonel George B. Stone has the apparent advantage, having the solid support of the San Francisco and Los Angeles delegations pledged to him.

For secretary, James M. Oliver is considered a sure winner. The delegates from Los Angeles, San Jose, Stockton, Sacramento, San Francisco, and Alameda being pledged to his support.

R. J. Waters of Los Angeles, candidate for Congress in the Sixth District will, it is generally believed, receive the nomination over Ex-Congressman Jas. McLachlan and Congressman Barlow.

Captain M. J. Davies, a banker of Riverside, and A. J. Pillsbury of Tulare are the Republican candidates for the Congressional nomination in the Seventh District and their henchmen were hard at work for them among the delegates.

POLITICIAN'S PRESENT.

State Senator R. N. Bulla of Los Angeles, who is one of the southern candidates for the United States Senatorship was present, and so was the other Southern candidate for Stephen White's place, U. S. Grant, Jr., who is a delegate from San Diego.

At 10 o'clock the delegates formed in procession and marched to Golden Gate Hall. The hall is very profusely decorated with flags and bunting, the national colors being every where conspicuous. Above the drop curtain is a golden eagle fluttering above a shield and below the shield is the single word "Dewey" in large white letters.

CALLED TO ORDER.

The convention was called to order shortly after 1 o'clock. General Hart delivered a patriotic Republican address and the business of the convention began.

The business of the afternoon session will consist of the choice of temporary officers and the appointment of a committee on credentials.

ALAMEDA DELEGATES.

The Alameda county delegates as elected are:

National Republican League club of Alameda county—F. K. Mott, Chas. Roeth, Paul Goldsmith, J. C. Ellsworth, T. M. Robinson, George S. Meredith, John A. Britton, L. E. Matteson, E. A. Sherman, Jr., Levi S. Bixby, George Baxley, D. A. Sinclair, S. P. Hall, P. R. Kline, Dr. H. B. Mehrmann, John L. Beard, Henry Dalton, W. H. Friend, E. T. Jooste, A. E. Bolton, W. W. Knickerbocker, M. C. Chapman, N. W. Spaulding, G. W. Langan, J. E. Farnum, W. N. Dimmick, Frank A. Leach, W. H. Quinn, John T. Bell, H. A. Powell, J. J. Allen, D. Edward Collins, Mack Webber, F. S. Stratton, George D. Metcalf, B. F. Armstrong, J. W. Nelson, Charles L. Pierce.

The Army and Navy Republican League—George W. Hoguet, M. D. Hyde, W. S. Pelouze, Thomas A. Doasy, J. A. Robinson, Fred V. Wood, Charles W. Wilkins, James D. Bailey, D. A. Briggs, R. L. Daniels, Benjamin Crandall, Miles Doody, N. S. Douglas, J. W. Osborne, I. B. Finch, E. F. Scott, John Keigh, Frank Cary, Frank W. Newell, Wm. J. Hamb, John G. Little, Charles S. Pierce, C. B. Meads, Jacob Winkler, C. H. Mallott, W. H. H. Thompson, H. Van Arman, C. B. Davis, Harry Inwall, J. A. Colquhoun, Frank Little, George G. Church, William Duessler, Edward Rathman, J. W. Henderson.

The Republican Anti-Civil Service League of Alameda county—W. S. O'Brien, John F. Teague, Rod W. Church, C. A. Mautalen, Orrin Mullins, R. C. Potts, Daniel W. Doody, Eugene Lynch, J. J. Lerri, J. Tobriner, H. L. Nash, Wesley Johnson, William Tipton, Walter Seidentopf, W. W. Morrison, J. M. Nash, J. B. Lankiree, J. T. Carey, Al Ewing, O. D. Brown, P. J. Keller, G. W. C. de Jarley, James Page, C. A. Carleton, James Kenney, F. C. Sweet, Charles Bon, W. J. Schmidt, C. E. Hall, Charles Cotton, Fred Dorsaz, William Dean, Edward Gehnig, Thomas Bradley, Victor Remmer, G. S. Langan, John Trotter, James Little, Henry Menges, John Coughlan.

"Pulcifer Wing" Young Men's Republican Club—W. V. Witcher, H. B. Belden, C. D. Bates, Jr., Charles A. Tabor, Chas. Street, F. W. Leavitt, Dr. R. L. Hill, Jr., George F. Neece and Gerald Cunningham.

Young Men's Republican League—Arthur H. Breed, F. W. Bilger, August Vollmer, Frank W. Leavitt, Seymour W. Condon, Clarance Crowell, Fred Johns, J. W. Stetson, J. Cal Ewing, J. W. Mott, R. M. Price, Marston Campbell, F. Muhr, T. B. Pheby, Jr., Frank Barnett, James H. Robinson, James Oliver, Ben F. Woolner, and Al Williams.

Second Ward Republican Club—J. S. Wixon, at large; H. F. Patterson, F. H. Mason, F. R. Girard, Guy C. Earl, C. A. Fawcett, John A. Sands, William Lawson, and F. W. Fry.

Fourth Ward Republican Club—Theo Mock, Gustave Farley, H. N. Gard, E. F. Holland, Frank Gordon, Edwin Meese, S. W. Gotchell, Fred A. Davis, and C. E. Snook.

Sixth Ward Republican Club—Charles Mautalen, William Keating, E. Farrell, L. L. Bromwell, C. L. Ingler, A. A. Collins, C. Knystem, W. Lisson.

Seventh Ward Young Republicans' Club—E. A. Reed H. W. Martin, W. B. Pringle, W. H. McGrath, E. L. Lawrence, H. C. Hampel, M. S. Armstrong, H. N. Tum Suden, George Washington Weaver.

Berkeley Republican Clubs—F. F. Mackerall, H. H. Phillips, B. H. Hamilton, Charles H. Spear, W. H. Waste, C. D. Maloney, James Kenney, F. K. Shattuck, W. E. Creed, George T. Bush, Captain J. R. Ayres, E. Q. Turner, and Thomas Wilson.

Elmhurst Republican Club—Frank Stoner, H. B. Arlett, H. Galles, J. D. Armstrong, T. B. Sawyer and M. S. Shaw.

Afro-American League—George Ingraham, Ed E. Burns, James F. Summers, J. B. Wilson, R. W. Moore, John A. Wilds, B. F. Medows, W. F. Delaney, J. R. Hackett, R. Coleman, Oscar Mann, M. Bush.

Livermore—Attorney Langdon, J. McKown.

Pleasanton—Joe Arendt and Will Harris.

GRADUATING EXERCISES AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Speeches by the Pupils Will Be Interspersed With Music.

President Todd Will Present Diplomas to Sixty Graduates.

The Oakland High school will hold its commencement exercises Thursday evening at the school gymnasium. The sixty graduates have already issued the invitations, and the programme of exercises has been fully arranged. While all the graduates will not take part, there will be a representation from the three courses, classical, English and scientific. There will be a couple of patriotic orations, and the music will consist largely of national airs.

President J. H. Todd of the Board of Education will present the diplomas to the graduates.

The programme of exercises is as follows:

Music, "All Hail, Beloved Fatherland."
"The Relation Between Poetry and Life".....Mabel Flora Robinson
Latin recitation (selections from Virgil).....Harry Thomas Stevens
"The Laboratory".....Lydia Lee Dozier
Music, "Venetian Song" (Tosti).
"Our Prospects for Obtaining a Livelihood".....Du Ray Smith Jr.
Greek recitation (selections from Homer).....Mabel Agnes Thayer
Violin solo, "Reverie" (Vieux Temps)..
.....Mabel Floretta Jordan
"The Flag We Fight For".....
.....Benjamin Weiser Reed
Music, "Praise Ye the Father".....Gounod
Presentation of diplomas...Dr. J. H. Todd
(President Board of Education.)
Music, "America."

CLASS DAY EXERCISES.

Class day exercises will be held tomorrow evening in the gymnasium when a clever farce entitled "Cupid and Psyche Up To Date" will be presented by the seniors who have been coached by Miss Susie Hobart. The farce was written by Miss Zoe Ackerman, a member of the class and is said to be very clever. It is in three acts with a prologue in verse. In the second act, a song written by Miss Ackerman and set to music by Miss Grace Avery will be sung by Psyche. The prologue will be recited by Miss Ethel Haas and the caste of the play itself is as follows: Cupid, Parker Holt; Minos, Pope Hartman; Cadmus, Roy Cavalry; Pan, Fred Roseberry; Tramp, Harry Tharsings; Newsboys, Arthur Wheeler, Harry Stevens, Charles Lister, Raymond Bailey; Chinaman, Henry Frank; Fisherman, Sydney Smith; Ragmuffin, Alma Pettis; Psyche, M. Bright Wallace; Medesa, Grace Avery; Dino, Elizabeth Kinsey; Mrs. Venus, Gwendolen Jones; Mrs. Haggerty, Mabel Robinson; Fortune Teller, Kathleen Kent; Hebe, Bessie Pratt.

LOS ANGELES WATER FIGHT.

Judge Wellborn Hands Down an Important Decision.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 31.—Judge Wellborn, in the United States District Court, rendered an opinion this morning in which he holds that the Los Angeles City Water Company is bound by the terms of its contract with the city of Los Angeles, made in 1868, wherein the company is required to turn over the entire plant to the city at the expiration of thirty years. It is also held that the company cannot alter the rates in operation at the time the contract was made. The opinion has an important bearing on the controversy between the city and the water company.

Nephew of Alger Married.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Camp McKinley, Des Moines, Iowa, says:

H. D. Russell, nephew of Secretary of War Alger, has been married to Miss Kruger.

Brazilian Minister Arrives.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Senor J. F. d'Assis of Brazil, Brazilian Minister to the United States, arrived here today on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from Bremen and Southampton. Other passengers were Victor F. Lawson and Potter Palmer of Chicago.

C. E. Chorus Rehearsal.

The members of the '97 C. E. concert chorus are requested to meet for rehearsal at the First Methodist Church this evening at 8 o'clock. It is proposed to give a Red Cross benefit concert at an early date. Bring the chorus books. Alameda County Music Committee.

An Oakland Volunteer.

Eddie F. McKeon, the 19-year-old son of P. H. McKeon of this city, and well known in Native Sons circles, is among the volunteers in the First Regiment who left for Manila on the City of Peking.

Marital Misfit.

Maria Lundquist has brought action in divorce against her husband, Charles R. Lundquist.

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Holding the Express

"I'm going to make out my application for promotion to the Junction this morning," remarked Ray Stannard, emphatically. "I don't believe the railroad would ever promote one if he didn't ask for it."

"Probably not, Ray," answered Arthur, his brother, and senior by two years. "But, on the other hand, you might lose your position if you seem dissatisfied. I've been promoted twice, and I never once asked for an advance."

"That's the difference between your store, where the officers are all gentlemen, and the J. T. and W. railroad, where you don't know who is in authority. Those who pay me my wages never come down to see me. They even send an agent down to collect the monthly bills. If I could get up at the Junction in the main office I might get a chance to work up. But down here at this small station I'm not noticed, and nobody knows whether I do my work well or not."

"Do you believe that?" Arthur asked. "Don't you think they know up at headquarters what agents do their duty thoroughly? I don't know, but I'll bet they have a record of you, and every other employee on the road."

"Well, my record is clean," Ray responded. "My reports have all been correct, and I have never made a mistake of a serious nature in my office."

"Then I should say that such a record will tell in your favor in time."

"In time? Yes, when I'm an old man. I've been here four years—ever since I left school—and I'm no nearer promotion than at the first."

Arthur shook his head. At the fork in the road they separated, and Arthur's last words to his brother were:

"Don't do anything hasty, Ray. Remember we must support mother, and if you lose your position things will go hard this winter."

"Oh, they won't drop me," Ray answered, a little proudly. "They know that I'm valuable to them, and they won't get another agent here to do their work so well."

The two brothers worked about a mile apart—Arthur in a large factory below Jamesport, and Ray in the railroad station just outside the village.

Four years before Mr. Stannard had died, leaving his wife and two children practically penniless. Both of them were at school at the time, preparing for college, but with praiseworthy zeal they gave up their cherished plans without a murmur and secured employment to support their mother.

Arthur was doing well in the woolen factory, where he was liked and trusted, and Ray had always performed his duties satisfactorily as agent for the railroad at Jamesport. He was quick at figures and a good telegraph operator.

But as the months and years passed his ambition to secure a position in the main office at the Junction grew upon him, but seemed to be doomed to disappointment. His position was made more irritating because his brother had twice been promoted in the factory.

He felt particularly gloomy and dissatisfied this morning, as he left Arthur, and trudged on toward the railroad. He entered the small station and proceeded slowly to perform the routine duties of his office.

Then, when the morning express had passed and the way bills had been made out, he sat down before his desk and began to write out his application for promotion.

"It's the only way I'll ever get advanced," he muttered to himself, as if to strengthen any wavering of his decision. "I've waited four years for some recognition of my service from the company, and at this rate it will never come. I believe every one who succeeds in railroading has to push his way forward."

Satisfied with his argument, he proceeded to frame his thoughts and to put them upon paper. He found, when he came to enumerate his good points, that he had done nothing extraordinary—only administered the affairs of the office intelligently and without any serious mistakes.

Ray had fair gift as a writer, and his petition was well worded. When finished, he read it over to see if it sounded just right. He was right in the midst of it when his telegraph instrument began to click. He listened to its sounds and read the message:

"Hold the west-bound express at Jamesport until further orders. Track is torn up between Jamesport and the Junction. E. T. T."

Ray took a mental note of the message and glanced at his watch.

"She won't be here inside of half an hour," he said.

Then once more he started to read his petition. After making a few corrections he laid it down on his desk with a satisfied smile.

"There, if that doesn't do the work I'm mistaken," he muttered in an undertone. "I don't think even Arthur could find fault with that."

It was only natural that the idea of securing promotion should stimulate the boy's imagination, and that he began to plan for the future. Tipped back in his comfortable chair he thought of the time when he might become superintendent of the division, and probably in time general passenger agent or even president of the road. Then, with a big salary, and a private car, he could be his own master and support his mother in the style she deserved.

A wave of compassion for other boys and poor station agents swept over him. He would make an innovation in the management of the road. He would visit every station at certain times and personally inspect the record of the agents. Then, where good service warranted it, he would make promotions and not keep deserving employes in one place for a long time.

It was pleasant to think of the gratitude the men would feel toward him, and in his dreams he posed as a benefactor to the deserving poor on the road with considerable grace and condescension. It was an added satisfaction to know that he had worked up from the lowest position to the highest and that he was familiar with all the discouragements and disappointments of the various employes.

In the midst of his dreams he heard the shriek of the engine, but it seemed more like the echo of a dream than a reality. It took some moments for Ray to bring himself back to practical thoughts.

"The express is coming!"

It was indeed the whistle of the approaching express that had sounded so far away in his dreams, and now he could hear the roar and rumble of the train as it bore down upon him at the rate of fifty miles an hour.

In an instant the telegraphic order to hold the express at Jamesport flashed across Ray's mind. That order had not yet been countermanded, and the express was down upon him without any signals set to stop her.

The boy turned deathly pale as he sprang to his feet and rushed for the door. Just as he reached the platform of the station the express gave utterance to another shrill whistle and flashed by the small depot like a hurricane. In the strong suction of wind that followed in the wake of the flying train Ray lost his hat, but, unmindful of that, he stood as if petrified by the awful catastrophe which his negligence had caused.

The express was rushing on to its doom, carrying with it probably several hundred people. Ray was helpless to avert the terrible calamity. The track was torn up between the two stations, and it would do no good to telegraph on to the Junction. The harm was already done and no earthly power could save the train.

Ray staggered into the office. Every particle of blood his face. He felt weak and helpless. Burying his face into his hands and he gave vent to sobs that shook his frame. Before him was his petition for promotion. The sight of it brought a revulsion of feelings and he took it up and tore it into shreds.

"If it hadn't been for that I would have attended to my duty," he muttered.

Then the cold perspiration broke out upon his forehead as he again realized the horror of his situation. He was a murderer a hundred times over; in all probability the train was already wrecked, the scores of mangled, bleeding corpses were crying to heaven against the perfidy of the man who had so suddenly launched them to their destruction.

"Oh, God help me!" the boy cried, in his utter helplessness.

Under the strain it seemed as if he would lose his mind, and he rose from his seat and paced back and forth in the narro woffice.

"I must do something," he said, finally. "I'll face it all and telegraph to the Junction for a wrecking train. I shall not try to excuse myself."

He seated himself at his desk again and seized the knob of the telegraph machine, but before he could call up the operator at the Junction a message for him came ticking over the wires:

"Release the express. Track all clear. E. T. T."

For an instant the boy could not comprehend the full import and meaning of this message to him. Then, as it dawned upon him, the revulsion of feeling was too much for his strength. He dropped back into his chair, and for an instant it seemed as if he lost consciousness.

When he recovered himself he walked unsteadily toward the door and opened it to take a full breath of fresh air. The world never seemed so beautiful to him as at that moment. Every familiar object of the landscape impressed him as being dear and attractive. He was in love with his native village, and his small, insignificant office appeared in a new light. When he turned around and realized it all, he said aloud:

"Thank God, it is not true; it is not true!"

That night Arthur asked Ray if he had forwarded his petition for promotion to headquarters.

"No," the boy replied, "I have thought it all over, and I feel content where I am. I won't make any request for a promotion."

Arthur looked queerly at his brother and wondered at the cause of his sudden change of opinion, but Ray did not divulge his secret until long after. One day there came word from the chief at the Junction, requesting Ray to appear for examination for promotion.

That night, when he was assured of his new place, he related to Arthur the terrible accident that his neglect had nearly caused to the express.

"I was so thankful when I found that it was not true," he concluded, "that I had no further desire for promotion. It made me satisfied with my position, and warned me that I could do more good in attending to my duty than in worrying for something higher. It was an experience and lesson, Arthur, that I can never forget."

And the boy shuddered at the mere recollection of this terrible mistake—a mistake which none but himself knew about, but which might have ruined him for life and precipitated 200 lives into eternity.—New York Ledger.

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A marriage license was today issued to Cyril L. Devere and Louise V. Johnson. Last week the two applied at the County Clerk's office and were refused because the girl, being but 17 years of age, had not the consent of either father, mother or guardian. Miss Johnson is an orphan without guardian, and hence the permission of her landlady and brother were accepted as an equivalent.

Lost His Emblem.

Clerk J. A. Robinson of department 3 of the Superior Court is today mourning the loss of his Loyal Legion badge No. 2074, which disappeared in the parade at Mountain View Cemetery yesterday. Mr. Robinson is a G. A. R. veteran.

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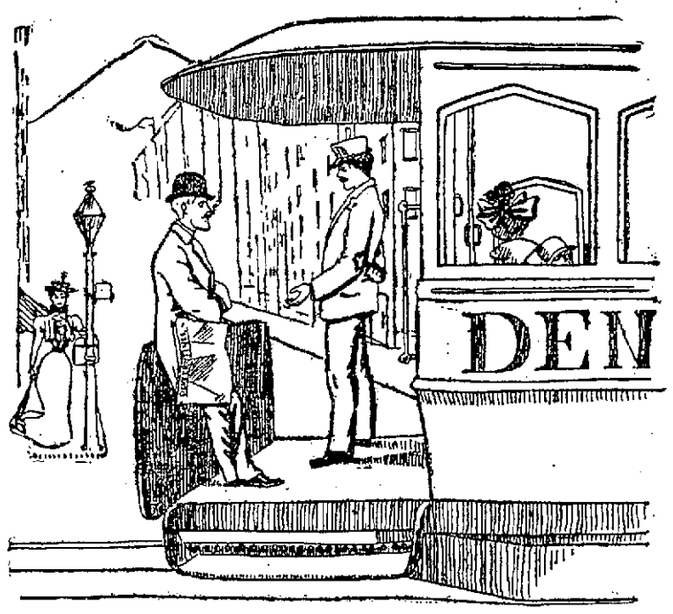

His name is Williams. It was as conductor on the Denver cable line that I knew him. He was always complaining of some trouble or other with his stomach and bowels. He seemed to be either bilious or constipated all the time. In describing his condition he used the expression "out of whack." I remember it particularly because I had never heard it before but have often heard it since. Finally somebody recommended him to use Ripans Tabules and he told me that never in his life did anything do him so much good. Said he felt like a new man. He told me that his wife used them too; but what she took them for I don't remember.

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SPAIN IN THE PAST AND IN THE PRESENT.

Pictorial Lecture on the Land of the Dons.

Neal Davis Describes the People and Their Homes.

Neal Davis knows the land of "our friend the enemy," Spain. His lecture upon it last evening at the Macdonough Theater was full of interest at the present time, and those who listened to it have a more intimate knowledge of the Spain of today than they had before. P. M. Fisher introduced the lecturer, who said:

"Spain of today has a population of about 18,000,000 people, three-fourths of whom can neither read nor write. The average Spaniard believes his country rules the world. He of the peasantry cherishes the desire to be a fine gentleman. He wears his serape as the North American Indian wears his blanket. Let him experience a little good fortune, accumulate say $3, and he retires from all active labor. He often says things he does not mean, yet is insulted if his veracity is questioned. Withal he is temperate, patriotic and charitable, and extremely fond of his wife and children, especially if they are good workers."

Commencing with the city and harbor of Barcelona, an exquisite view of which was projected on the screen by the stereopticon, Mr. Davis then described notable scenes, people, buildings, streets and living characters such as the traveler meets in various Spanish cities. At Barcelona he said he was amazed to find a much gold bedecked customs official hold out his hand for a bribe most brazenly solicited. A small coin worth about 4 copper cents satisfied him. In Barcelona, so close is trade that when he purchased a glass of soda lemonade and tendered a coin worth 1¾ cents in American money, he was given another coin in exchange valued at ½ of a cent. Goats are driven through the streets and milked in front of the customers' houses.

Madrid and the royal palace with the dazzling ceremonies of the Spanish court were entertainingly described by the lecturer. Then he told of the 300 fine horses and mules in the royal stables. Views of the palace, the Cortes, monument of Isabella the Catholic, and other scenes in Spain's capital were shown.

Mr. Davis told of the shops where religious emblems are sold, and said the Spaniard even preferred cakes which were ornamented with religious devices. In fact, he carries his religion into everything except practice.

Coffee roasting is a familiar scene early in the day before the cafes. Not a kernel of coffee is permitted to escape. Nothing of value escapes once it gets into Madrid's streets. Cigar stumps and cigarette butts are carefully gathered up for sale to the factories.

Newspapers of Madrid are poor, the best one would not take second rank in an American city of 100,000 inhabitants. There is not a decent restaurant in all Madrid. Beggars swarm everywhere.

The Madrid theater was both described and illustrated with its "stew pan" gallery reserved for the women. Serenos, or watchmen, carrying lanterns, lock up the house entrances early, and one has difficulty sometimes getting into one's domicile, as the watchman may be several blocks away and he carries the keys.

The lecturer spoke of the statesmen of Spain, including Castelar, Sagasta and other party chiefs. Portraits were shown of "Butcher" Weyler, De Lome and his successor Bernabe, the Governor of Madrid and General Martinez Campos. Some of Spain's best battleships were shown, and the lecturer said that while on paper her navy was stronger than ours, in reality it is about equal in fighting strength.

In concluding his lecture, Mr. Davis carried his audience through ancient Toledo and Granada, where the ruins of the world famous Alhambra are; Seville, the home of beautiful women; Valencia, the city of the Cid; Malaga, famous for its raisins and thugs; Saragossa, preeminent in the political life of haughty Aragon; and finally described the great national sport, bull fighting. The torturing and killing of the bulls were shown in the photographic views, likewise the brutal killing of the picadores' horses. Spaniards, Mr. Davis said, looked upon all this brutality as a matter of course, and said a bull fight was once given in Spain for the benefit of a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

CALIFORNIA STARS AGAIN VICTORIOUS.

They Play Great Baseball at the Elmhurst Recreation Park.

The fair sized crowd that witnessed the two games of baseball at Elmhurst yesterday got the worth of their money, as both games were very interesting.

The Alerts succeeded in turning the tables on their heavy-weight rivals, the Elmhursts, and, despite the fact that the latter team was strengthened by some of the best men in the C. & L. team, the perfect team work and fast play of the Alerts won for them a victory that at first seemed impossible.

In the second game, the California Stars again demonstrated their ability to play the game by winning a victory from one of the best teams in this portion of the State, and the ease with which these boys play caused considerable favorable comment yesterday.

The Alerts and Stars will play a return game Sunday next at Freeman's grounds at Golden Gate. This will be a great game, and, as the grounds are easy of access, there will no doubt be a good attendance.

Below is the score for both of yesterday's games:

CALIFORNIA STARS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Drake, c	4	0	1	0	0	2	0
Chambers, 2 b.	4	1	0	0	1	1	0
Quigley, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	1	3	2
Fey, 1 b.	3	0	0	1	12	0	0
Hanifin, c. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lefever, l. f.	3	1	1	0	2	0	0
Sweasey, s. s.	3	2	1	2	1	5	1
Flinn, r. f.	2	1	1	1	1	0	0
Flege, p	2	1	1	0	3	1	0
Totals	27	6	5	4	21	12	3

C. & L.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Potter, 1 b.	2	0	0	1	6	0	0
Stutt, c. f.	3	0	1	0	3	0	0
Peralta, c	3	1	1	0	0	3	0
Streib, 2 b.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Melenthrop, s. s	3	0	0	0	0	4	2
Denny, 3 b.	3	0	1	1	1	0	1
Jenkins, p	2	0	0	0	1	1	1
Le Roy, r. f.	3	0	0	0	3	0	0
Shea, l. f.	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	24	1	3	2	18	8	4

RUNS BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
California Stars	0	0	4	0	0	2	*	—6
Base hits	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	—5
C. & L.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	—3

ALERTS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Hammond, c	4	0	1	0	5	0	0
D. Shea, l. f.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Pariser, 2 b.	3	1	3	1	1	1	0
L. Schroeder, 1 b	4	1	0	0	4	0	0
Bird, s. s.	4	1	2	0	1	2	2
J. Shea, 3 b.	3	1	1	0	5	0	0
Wickman, p	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simpson, r. f.	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
G. Schroeder, c.f	3	0	0	0	3	2	0
Totals	28	4	7	2	21	6	3

ELMHURST.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Toffelmeir, 3 b.	4	0	1	0	3	1	1
Stutt, 2 b.	3	1	0	0	5	2	2
Denny, s. s.	3	0	1	0	1	2	1
Arlott, p	3	1	2	0	0	0	1
Kleupfer, 1 b.	3	0	2	0	4	0	0
Mulvey, c	3	0	0	0	4	2	1
Brunges, c. f.	3	0	2	1	3	0	0
Peralta, l. f.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
L. Kleupfer, r. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	8	1	21	7	6

RUNS BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Alerts	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	—4
Base hits	0	3	1	1	1	0	1	—7
Elmhurst	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2
Base hits	0	0	0	3	2	3	0	—8

SKIPPED ROPE TO THE DANGER POINT.

Pleasanton School Girl Succumbed to Over Violent Exercise.

Theresa Bernal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bernal of Pleasanton, is confined to her bed, dangerously ill, from the effect of over-much rope jumping at the school house on Friday last. She was making an effort to break the school record of 100. Little Theresa had reached the seventy mark when faintness overcame her and she was compelled to desist. During the afternoon she complained of feeling pains in the region of her heart and at evening she was taken with severe hemorrhages.

At the school house rope-jumping has been forbidden and the little ones who indulge in the pastime in future will do so in violation of the new order.

CAMPS CLOSED IN NILES CANYON.

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Notice to Voters.

REGISTRATION.

Office of the
County Clerk of Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda county are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November, 1898.

That owing to failure of the Governor to approve the act unanimously passed by both branches of the last Legislature providing assistance for Clerk it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda county, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered for the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS SINCE THE DATE OF LAST REGISTRATION THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

That registration will continue to and including August 9th, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those "who shall have been a resident of the State ONE YEAR next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct THIRTY days" are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, OTHER THAN FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSFER, when names are ENTERED on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. of each day.

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£6:09 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:09 a
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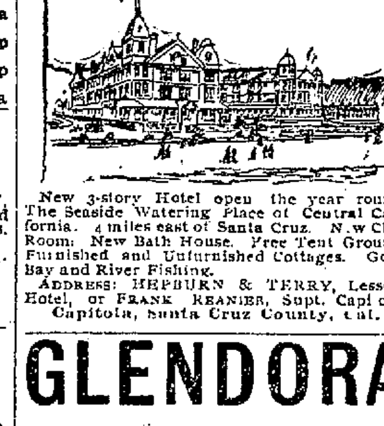

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In the matter of the estate of Philias H. Lamoureux, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Philias H. Lamoureux, deceased, and for the issuance to Judith Lamoureux of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 23rd, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
JAS. C. MARTIN, 921 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of Alameda county, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of G. W. K. Masters, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Olive Ann Masters, executrix of the estate of G. W. K. Masters, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to said executrix, at her residence, number 2321 Lincoln ave., Alameda, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Dated May 3rd, 1898.

OLIVE ANN MASTERS,
Executrix of the estate of G. W. K. Masters, deceased.
HUGH S. ALDRICH, Att'y for Executrix, office 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 21st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1898,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ADMINISTRATRIX' SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, Department No. 9, Probate, made and entered on the 26th day of April, 1898, in the matter of the estate of Nancy McVerry, deceased, Mary A. McVerry, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, on or after SATURDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF JUNE, 1898, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said deceased at the time of her death, and all right, title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to that of the said decedent at the time of her death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the township of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, viz:

First—Beginning at a stake at the intersection of the southeasterly line of Webster street with the dividing line between plots numbers 14 and 19, and running thence south 48 degrees 44 minutes east along the line between said plots nine hundred and twenty-four (924) feet to a stake; thence south 47 degrees 55 minutes west, two hundred and forty and forty-six one-hundredths (240 46-100) feet to a stake; thence at right angles north 42 degrees five minutes west, nine hundred and seventeen and forty one-hundredths (917 40-100) feet to a stake in the southeasterly line of Webster street; thence at right angles north 47 degrees 55 minutes east one hundred and thirty-three and fifty-four one-hundredths (133 54-100) feet to the place of beginning. Containing three and 95-100 (3 95-100) acres.

Second—Beginning at a stake in the southeasterly side of Webster street distant south 47 degrees 55 minutes west one hundred and thirty-three and fifty-four one-hundredths (153 54-100) feet from the intersection of the said southeasterly line of Webster street with plots 14 and 19, running thence at right angles to Webster street, south 42 degrees 5 minutes east nine hundred and seventeen and forty one-hundredths (917 40-100) feet to a stake; thence at a right angle south 47 degrees 55 minutes west, one hundred and forty-two and forty-five one-hundredths (142 45-100) feet to a stake; thence at right angles north 42 degrees 5 minutes west, nine hundred and seventeen and forty one-hundredths (917 40-100) feet to a stake in the southeasterly line of Webster street; thence at right angles north 47 degrees 55 minutes east, one hundred and forty-two and forty-five one-hundredths (142 45-100) feet to the place of beginning. Containing three (3) acres.

Said two parcels of land above described, one consisting of 3.95 acres, and the other consisting of 3 acres, adjoin and are contiguous to one another, and form one entire piece or parcel of land.

Offers and bids will be received by the administratrix at the office of Morrison & Cope, room 123, Crocker building, at the junction of Post, Montgomery and Market streets, in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California.

All bids and offers must be in writing, and may be left at the office above designated, or delivered to said administratrix personally, or be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of the sale.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash in United States gold coin, upon confirmation of said sale by said Superior Court.

Dated, May 19, 1898.

MARY A. McVERRY,
Administratrix of the estate of Nancy McVerry, deceased.

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Oration by Col. E. M. Gibson Before the G. A. R. Last Night.

FINE PROGRAMME RENDERED.

Patriotic Songs and Speeches in Honor of the Valiant Dead.

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church was crowded to its utmost capacity last evening by those who gathered there to commemorate Memorial Day.

The front of the platform was elaborately decorated with flowers and ranged before the pulpit were large floral emblems of the G. A. R., the Women's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army and the Sons of Veterans.

The body of the church was reserved for the members of those organizations which arrived in a body at 8 o'clock.

Past Commander Soupham, of Admiral Porter Post, G. A. R., was president of the evening. Upon being introduced Mr. Scupham said that those present had done their duty during the day at the graves of the departed ones, and they were permitted to remember at the evening exercises that Memorial Day was also G. A. R. day. Now that the tocsin of war had again sounded in this country, the benefit of the grand object lesson furnished by the Grand Army of the Republic could be realized. The lesson of loyalty and patriotism which had been instilled by the G. A. R. was bearing its fruits. It had taught the young of the land to be always ready to respond to their country's call. The youth and flower of the land were now coming forward with alacrity to do their duty to their country.

Rev. James Curry, D. D., of Lyon Post, G. A. R., made an invocation that God may bless the Government and the Nation in the present contest, and guard the forces of the Republic by land and sea.

"Columbia" was sung by the choir of the church, and Miss Bertha M. Clark recited "Murfreesboro" which was loudly encored.

Mr. Scupham then introduced Colonel E. M. Gibson, the orator of the evening. He said:

"We have assembled here on this occasion in obedience to a beautiful custom established in this country to commemorate the Nation's dead. Monuments and temples of stone may and do perpetuate the names and deeds of great heroes: but this custom of strewing flowers upon the graves of our nation's benefactors and of assembling on this national holiday, which has been set apart for that purpose, and in paying respectful and reverential tribute to the memory of those brave men who gave their lives for our country and humanity, constitute an ever living monument more beautiful than marble or granite. It has been said that the fame of noble men is at once the most endearing and the most valuable public possession. Of the distant past it constitutes nearly all of value that remains. History is but little more than the account of men. Great and small have played their parts. Superior talents and favoring circumstances have secured for a few persons that special recognition called immortality. This recognition may be nothing to the dead, but the record furnishes examples and inspiring facts, especially for the young, by which they are encouraged to emulate the lives of the illustrious men of the past.

"Mr. Bancroft gave voice to the considerate judgment of mankind when he said that beyond question General Washington intellectually was the first of Americans. This was the opinion of his contemporaries. His preeminence was felt and recognized by all classes, including not only the leaders of the savage tribes of America but by the most sagacious statesmen and the wisest observers in foreign lands.

"It is the glory of Washington that he was the first great military chief who did not exhibit the military spirit; and in this he has given to his country an example and a rule of the highest value. The zeal of the young men of the Republic to enter the military service for the defense of the Union and the satisfaction with which they accepted peace and returned to the employments of peace all in obedience to the example of Washington are his highest praise.

"Time has not dimmed the luster of his fame nor qualified in the least that general judgment on which he was raised to an equality with the most renowned personages of ancient or modern times. With this estimate, which is not exaggerated, I venture to claim for Abraham Lincoln a place in every respect equal to that occupied by Washington.

"Whether we have regard to private character, intellectual attainments, public services, or to the weight of obligations laid upon the country and upon humanity, by him, the name of Abraham Lincoln by the universal judgment and verdict of mankind, will be placed side by side with that of George Washington. Between Washington and Lincoln there were two full generations of men; but of them all I see not one who can be compared with either. I place them side by side as the two greatest and best men the world has ever known. Our Republic has furnished to the world the characters of Washington and Lincoln. Great and glorious they shall ever stand as an inspiration to our young men, commanding the respect and admiration of all. The world has been enriched by the unexcelled wisdom and the unexampled character of Abraham Lincoln, and while his greatness does not obscure nor even dim the luster and glory of Washington, it easily places him in the front rank, if not the very first of the world's greatest men. No man is truly great who is not truly good.

"There has always been and always will be a conflict between truth and error, right and wrong, justice and injustice. Our Nation as organized and established is the product of the best thought, the most exalted aspirations, the most profound wisdom of the past. A creation, springing as it were from a unity of the world's best sentiment and forces for good.

"Notwithstanding the pure and lofty motives of Washington, Franklin and Jefferson and their co-workers, evil came with good. The blighting curse of human slavery fastened itself upon our institutions and when a vessel entered the James river in 1619 with a cargo of African slaves, and the Mayflower was landed at Plymouth Rock in 1620, an antagonism was created on American soil that grew in magnitude until it threatened the life of the Nation and culminated in the great rebellion. It never ceased to exist until the immortal Lincoln issued his Proclamation of Emancipation, and Lee surrendered to Grant at Appomattox.

"We are approaching the gray dawn of true civilization, but there are a great many barriers in the way of progress. Civilization is to be accomplished largely by education, by the equal development of the physical, mental and moral faculties. By education complete human development is to be accomplished. The correctness of our system must be largely determined by the results accomplished. There is only one correct rule of human conduct. If a man is a good citizen he is good in every relation of life, and if he is not so, he is not a good citizen. Our progress is to be accomplished largely by individual effort. Individual character aggregated makes our national character.

"When we have attained to civilization all will be secure in their natural rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. All will move forward together in the great work of human development along the lines laid down by God and nature, seeking the good and happiness of all. He who lives for himself alone is a detriment to society.

"War is always cruel, always to be avoided if possible. It should not be resorted to until every peaceful remedy is exhausted. But there are worse things than war. Dishonor is worse, obliterating a brave and helpless people by starvation is worse, the triumph of tyranny and cruel, merciless, monstrous oppression is worse, infinitely worse than war.

"In our present war with Spain we are justified by every sentiment of mercy and conception of justice. Our cause is the cause of humanity. We strike not in exultation of our strength and prowess, for spoils, or the acquisition of territory, but we strike for the independence, the freedom, the life, of a long-suffering, down-trodden people. I deny the right of any nation to subjugate a people by starvation.

"If the hundreds of thousands of starving women and children of Cuba, lying at our very door, where we can almost hear their wailing, pitiful cry for help, does not excite our pity, does not justify Congress and the President in sending our navy and army to their relief, then there is no justification for war.

"This is a righteous war. I do not say that the sinking of the Maine justifies it. Possibly Spain may not be responsible for that, although I think she is, but every law of God and humanity does justify the interposition of our strong and mighty nation to rescue and relieve the starving women and children of Cuba.

"Our President and Congress have acted wisely, prudently, and justly, and it is the solemn duty of every loyal American and lover of justice and liberty everywhere to support them to the uttermost, and if when the war is ended the long-suffering people of Cuba and the Philippine islands ask this country to extend to them the protection of the American flag, we should not turn them away but bring them into our fold and bestow upon them the benefits to be derived from our system of government.

"This war has firmly united the North and South. And the blue and the gray march together under the Stars and Stripes to the music of the Union. The blue and gray shall henceforth be one embued by a common impulse, the glory of our country and the good of humanity. It has added at least two names—George Dewey and Worth Bagley—to the galaxy of American heroes.

"Shall we preserve and maintain the Nation as it was left to us by Washington and Lincoln? Let us remember that 'eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.' We should all strive not only to better our own condition but to make our Nation stronger and better by cultivating those traits and qualities which so strongly tend to ennoble our race."

The balance of the programme was as follows: "The Star-Spangled Banner," Mrs. Charles Poulter; recitation, Drake's address to the American Flag, Miss Georgia Horton; "Salute the Old Defender," pupils of the Central School, P. M. Fisher, principal; remarks, Col. Charles L. Pierce, Commander California Division Sons of Veterans; "Flag of Our Heroes," quartette—J. A. Britton, F. W. Cushing, J. H. Todd, G. H. Collins; "America," by the audience; benediction, Rev. James Curry, D. D., Lyon Post No. 8, G. A. R.; taps, bugler Carroll J. Orton.

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A FATAL MISTAKE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—James Underwood, a traveling salesman for the Champenoia Jewelry Company of Newark, N. J., drank a quantity of cyanide of potassium by mistake at the jewelry store of F. H. Niehaus yesterday, thinking it was water. He fell to the floor immediately and lived but ten minutes.

WORE SPANISH COLORS.

A Pleasanton school boy came to grief Friday. He appeared at school in the Spanish national colors. The other scholars didn't like his taste and—they did things to him. His head, his back, his limbs are—in fact he's sore all over now. Pleasanton school children are Americans.

LAND ATTACK ON SANTIAGO IMMEDIATELY.

Troops Are Now on the Way to Assist Schley.

Gen. Miles Leaves Tomorrow to Direct the Army of Invasion.

INSURGENTS TO ACT AS SCOUTS.

As Soon as the City Falls the Forces Will Be Hurled Against Porto Rico.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

The President told some callers tonight (Monday) that he expected Commodore Schley to attack Cervera within twenty-four hours.

General Miles made no secret before leaving Washington of the immediate departure of the army from Tampa, though he declined to encourage any speculation as to its destination for obvious military reasons.

It is known, however, that ever since the first reports announcing the arrival of the Spanish squadron at Santiago last Saturday night he has been thoroughly alive to the practically prohibitive dangers which would have to be encountered by an American fleet in fighting its way past the elevated batteries and up the narrow and tortuous channel of that harbor to force a battle with the Spaniards, and has steadily urged upon the authorities the necessity of a land attack on the place as the quickest and most effective method of dealing Spain a crushing blow.

His plans have been fully matured with that end in view, and the only question on which the departure of the army from Tampa rested was that of Cervera's indisputable presence at Santiago, with an American fleet outside of sufficient power to prevent his egress and to destroy him if he attempted to reach the open sea.

In the transports at Tampa, in addition to the large quantities of supplies needed by the army, whatever its destination, have been stored a number of powerful siege guns, which will be effective for shelling the entire basin in which the harbor and city of Santiago lie, when mounted on high positions among the surrounding hills.

There is believed to be only a single contingency which could operate to modify General Miles' plans for the land attack on Santiago, and that may not develop until the fleet of transports under the convoy of Admiral Sampson's squadron arrives off Cape Maysi, in the Windward passage, 600 miles from Key West and scarcely a half day's run from the proposed landing place on the coast near Santiago. There is the possibility that Commodore Schley, impatient over the delay at getting at the Spaniards, and in the absence of accurate knowledge that military re-enforcements are at hand, may, on drawing the fire of the batteries, ascertain that their formidability has been greatly exaggerated, and determine to force his way into the harbor and complete the work without assistance. Should this occur, the fleet of transports and warships arriving in the Windward passage will quickly secure the news from scout ships, and the alternative destination of Porto Rico would at once be adopted.

The promptness with which the departure of the army from Tampa has been effected after the last doubt of Cervera's presence at Santiago was removed will, perhaps, not be known for several days, although confidence is expressed that the celerity of the movement will prove remarkable in military annals. In fact, it is intimated in high official quarters that several of the transports have already reached the rendezvous at Key West, if, indeed, the entire fleet is not already on the way.

At Key West an effective addition to the landing force has been provided in the marine corps battalion on the transport Panther. This force is composed of trained men, especially drilled to land under fire, and it is expected to be the first force ashore, wherever the attack is made.

General Miles counts on the active support of the insurgent General Garcia, who was visited by Lieutenant Rowan, and to whom couriers have already been sent, informing him of the purpose of the American army to invest Santiago should such an operation be necessary to destroy Cervera's fleet. General Collazo and Colonel Hernandez of Garcia's staff, who accompanied Lieutenant Rowan by way of the Bahamas to Washington, have been constantly consulted by General Miles for the last three or four days, giving him invaluable information regarding Santiago province, and they will accompany the expedition from Tampa and act as guides for the army after the landing is effected.

General Miles dispelled all doubts as to his own active part in the expedition by announcing that he would be able to embark at Tampa on Wednesday on one of the fastest cruisers, which will take him quickly to the scene of operations.

The size of the force to be landed near Santiago does not exceed 15,000 men, of whom it is not expected over 5,000 will take part in the siege, the others being held in reserve for use if extraordinary resistance is encountered. The outlook, however, is for quick and decisive action, and there is confidence among military men that the city will fall in ten days. It is not the intention of General Miles to remain at Santiago an unnecessary hour after the capitulation of that port, and the successful accomplishment of the purposes of invasion. On the contrary, most of the troops will be quickly re-embarked in the transports and the combined military and naval forces will proceed directly to take possession of Porto Rico, being re-enforced for this purpose by additional troops from Tampa. These re-enforcements will consist largely of volunteers, including those who have exhibited the highest efficiency among the companies now at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga Park.

Perhaps some of these commanders will reach Key West about the time the main expedition starts from there, and they will be prepared to follow the first expedition immediately if such action at that time appears to be desirable.

STEAMBOAT RATES WILL BE SLASHED.

Pooling Agreement of the Atlantic Lines Fall Through.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The Tribune today says: A reduction in passenger rates to Europe this summer is expected among the agents of the large Trans-Atlantic lines at this port. The pooling arrangement which has prevailed for a number of years among the large lines has completely fallen through. The agreement ends in June, and while efforts have been made to continue for another year, they have failed utterly and the conference which was to have been held in London has been declared off.

This association was called the North Atlantic Conference, and included the following lines: The North German Lloyd, the Hamburg-American line, Cunard, White Star, Anchor, American, Red Star, and Holland-American lines. The agreement called for a minimum first-cabin rate to English ports of $100 and to German ports of $105.

Signs of the disagreement were many early last winter, but nothing was done to break the agreement. A meeting of the officers of all the lines was held in London early in May. From all accounts it was not of a harmonious nature, and it was finally adjourned without reaching any direct result. It was then understood that another meeting was to be held on June 7th, at which some definite plan was to be formed to adjust rates to suit all lines. Last week it was decided to give up the meeting, and in the future each line will go its own way, making its own rates. That this disagreement means a rate war is generally understood among the local agents here. They say that the war with Spain has already reduced traffic and that the lack of harmony between the lines will cause each to make its best efforts to get what business there is doing.

THE LEADERS OF MEN.

It is the authors of the world, and not as generally supposed, its soldiers and statesmen, who are, after all, the true leaders of men. The men of action but carry out the ideas which they have suggested or formulated. "Authors," says grim old Carlyle, "are the vanguard in the march of mind, the intellectual backwoodsmen, reclaiming from the idle wilderness new territories for the thought and activity of their happier brethren."

The world therefore likes to read about authors personally, and its gratification should be complete at the fullness with which they are treated in Charles Dudley Warner's magnificent new "Library of the World's Best Literature." About a thousand of the more famous, of all nations and periods, are presented in biographical and critical essays that have been prepared by living scholars who in each case made them an especial study, in several instances having personally known their subject. In addition to this is a biographical dictionary of all the authors of the world who have achieved a permanent literary reputation and whose works will endure. This includes also living authors who are now before the world and whose reputation is so well established that its permanency is assured. The sketches are concise, but accurate and complete as to every essential fact, even including the accepted pronunciation of the names. Each subject is classified in his proper sphere of literature, whether poet, philosopher, story writer, orator, or scientist, and in all cases are furnished the titles of the most valuable work of works on which their fame depends.

And all these authors seem more alive than ever as here placed beside the choicest productions of their own pens, the selections from literature including the best of thought and style that any school of literature or branch of study has given to the world. The histories of the great literatures and synopses of the world's best books round out a complete panorama of human activity in this line.

Those who would obtain this great library on the most favorable terms on which it can be sold, should lose no time sending a postal with name and address to Harper's Weekly Club, Claus Spreckels Building, San Francisco, California.

Death of Mrs. Olsen.

Mrs. Ada Olsen, wife of A. P. Olsen, and daughter of T. H. B. Rosenberg, died unexpectedly at her home in Alameda yesterday morning. She was a native of Santa Barbara and was 29 years of age. Two children, Jennie and Charles Olsen, survive her.

Hardy Brothers Win.

Sam and Sumner Hardy of this city yesterday won the invitation double tournament of the Alameda Tennis Club. Ed Spencer and Orville Pratt of Oakland took second place.

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FIRST BOAT WILL ARRIVE TOMORROW.

Two Steamer Lines for the Fruit Trade.

Apache and Modoc and Three Opposition Launches.

The fruit season will open tomorrow and the first cargo will be landed at Adams' Wharf by the Duxbury, which will come direct from the Sacramento River. The service will be somewhat different from that of last year, as the Eleventh street merchants will not run an independent line under their own management. The majority of them have made an agreement with the Southern Pacific Company, and this service will commence in about two weeks.

There is to be the usual opposition, however.

Messrs. Hunt, Hatch & Company will run their own steamers and will conduct their business on the water front. The experience this firm had last year, when it started the opposition, has taught the members that there is a good business to be done on the water front and that it justifies the running of an independent line of boats.

Three boats will be employed by Hunt, Hatch & Company and they will ply on the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers and bring their cargoes direct to Adams' Wharf. The boats are handy and can call at all the small points without any loss of time or inconvenience. One boat will arrive each morning and will have two days each for the trip up river. The Duxbury will be here early tomorrow morning and the Etta B. will arrive the following morning. Negotiations for the third boat are now in progress and may be completed today. All of these vessels are large and speedy gasoline schooners and it was proved last year that they are well suited to the river trade.

The Eleventh street merchants have agreed to have their produce carried by the Railroad Company and the steamers Modoc and Apache will commence running about the middle of June. These steamers are both large and fast and each will arrive on alternate mornings at the foot of Broadway. This will insure a daily supply of fresh fruit and vegetables throughout the season. There will no doubt be much rivalry between the two lines to see which can arrive first, as a couple of hours time in the early morning means much to the whole shipment.

"The crops will be very light this summer," said W. G. Mantel this morning, "and the two big boats Apache and Modoc will be able to give us a first class service. They will carry both fruit and produce and as both boats are powerful there is no doubt that we shall have all the accommodation we require. Reports from the growers are very discouraging and there will not be any too much fruit this summer."

Since last year the accommodations at Adams' Wharf have been largely increased and improved. The roads are in first class order and the facilities for speedy unloading and for warehousing are perfect.

BARBECUE OFFERED TO THE SOLDIERS.

But Their Camp Must Be on This Side of the Bay.

Captain King of Company A, First Regiment California Veteran Reserves, offers on behalf of his command, in case a camp of volunteers is established in Oakland or suburbs, to give the soldiers a barbecue. He has been offered two fat cattle, which will be cooked in regular barbecue style, and furnished by Mr. Louis Schaffer, a friend of the company, to the captain for that purpose.

Friends of Company A, Veteran Reserves, are anxious to see the company fully equipped, and The Tribune will receive donations for belts, which are much needed by the company.

Although no positive orders have yet been received by the Fifth Regiment to go into camp, it is known that it will be included in the next call for troops, and the boys declare that in Companies A and F there will not be a single man affected with "cold feet" at the prospect of having to face bullets.

OMAHA EXPOSITION OPENS TOMORROW.

Large Attendance Expected at the Dedicatory Exercises.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OMAHA, May 31.—The Exposition management has issued instructions that all work on the grounds cease tonight. No exhibits or decorations will be arranged tomorrow. It is the desire of the management that all the energies of the employes be directed toward the success of the opening.

Some details of minor importance remain incomplete as far as the grounds are concerned, but this feature is not of sufficient magnitude to interfere in any way with the dedicatory ceremonies.

For several nights 500 men have been continuously employed on the ground preparing for the opening.

The surroundings have been rendered as light as day by the numerous electric lights. These extra efforts have been largely instrumental in bringing the enterprise almost to completion. Many delegations of various States have already moved to participate in the exercises tomorrow.

The railroad authorities predict that the attendance will exceed the 100,000 mark, provided the weather remains favorable. After the formal dedication the Exposition executive officials will banquet the guests of the exhibition, which will be an informal affair.

BOSTON, May 31.—The Boston Fruit Company received a cablegram today announcing that their large steamer Belvidere, which left Jamaica last Wednesday night for Boston, is ashore on Cape Maysi on the eastern end of Cuba and is probably a total wreck.

The fate of the passengers and crew is unknown, although it is thought they are possibly rescued. The company states that among the passengers were Senor Capote, Vice President of the Cuban Republic.

It is thought the Belvidere was wrecked late Wednesday night. The captain of the fruit company's steamer Ethel Red, who sighted the Belvidere when passing the cape, says the latter craft had been abandoned and the hull was badly damaged. The after part of the steamer was full of water.

The Belvidere was built at Glasgow about one year ago, and registered about 1,800 tons. Her cargo consisted of 26,000 bunches of bananas and 300 bags of cocoanuts.

FERRER'S CONCERT IS ANNOUNCED FOR TONIGHT

Mrs. Alfred Abbey and Frank Coffin Will Be Heard in Song.

Signor M. Y. Ferrer will be given a testimonial concert at Sherman & Clay's Hall, San Francisco by a number of his friends and pupils tonight. It promises to be an important affair from a society as well as musical standpoint, as several prominent musicians will take part including Mrs. Alfred Abbey, the operatic soprano, and Frank Coffin, tenor. The programme is as follows:

Press Club Quartette.....
Mandolinata Club. Selections from "Traviata" .....Verdi
Tenor Solo, "Romanza Mexicana" .....Catano
Violin obligato by Mr. Johannsen.
Guitar accompaniment Mrs. Wightman and M. Y. Ferrer.
Frank Coffin.
Guitar Solo, "L'Elisire D'Amour.... .....Donizetti
(Arranged for guitar by M. Y. Ferrer.)
Mrs. Adele F. Wightman.
Piano Solo, (a) Polonaise C sharp minor .....Chopin
(b) "The Nightingale." .....Liszt
Miss Leonore M. Ferrer.
Press Club Quartette.....
Violin Solo, "Romance et Alla Zingara" .....Wieniawski
Arthur F. Johannsen.
Soprano Solo, (a) "Thy Name".... .....Mary Knight Wood
(b) "Carmella"....Tosti
Mrs. Alfred Abbey.
Guitar Solo, "Le Desir"....Beethoven
Mrs. Adele F. Wightman.
"La Gitana Bolero".....Arditi
Mandolinata Club.

CHILDREN HONORED THE DEAD SOLDIERS.

Interesting Memorial Day exercises were held at the Tompkins School Friday. The following programme will be presented: "Battle Hymn of the Republic," school; "Sleep, Comrades, Sleep," Jennie Earle; "In One Grave," Emma Appledom; "Tidings at the Last Reading," Irene Le Noir; recitation, Adolph Lucas; "Incident in a French Camp," Renee Scanlan; song, "Sleep On, Ye Heroes," class; "Somebody's Darling," Mary Ferris; recitation, Mabel Sanger; "Our Heroes,"—composition, William Post; song, Gussie Pipenburg; recitation, Ada Hurrell; selections for Decortion Day, Fourth Grade; address by Principal Markham; song, "America," school.

The recitations were all given with great clearness and expression. That of Mary Ferris was especially marked by great feeling and simplicity. Master Post's essay showed thought and discrimination.

COMMENCEMENT AT THE BLIND INSTITUTE.

The commencement exercises at the Institution for the Deaf and Blind at Berkeley will be held the coming week. The annual concert by the blind pupils will take place next Friday evening. The commencement exercises will be held in the Assembly Hall, Tuesday, June 7th, at 2:15 P. M.

Haywards School Closes.

Haywards Grammar School held its commencement exercises Friday at the school building. The exercises included an address by Principal Greenwell, a class poem and essays. The following graduates were awarded diplomas at the close of the exercises: Rose Almada, Louisa Bassett, Percy Carter, Edith Fewill, Hester Gamble, Nellie Johnson, Dollie Wilder, Roy Merwin, Eolef Peterson, Mat Peterson, Joseph Loares, Anne Nelson, Ada Pimental, Nellie Ramage, Julia Silva, Mabel Thorndyke, Grace Webster, Wilfred Cooper, James Jessen, Lelah Langan, Adolph Lee, Frank McDonnell and Arthur Sibley.

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The Modified Spanish Schedules to Be Enforced.

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DISCRIMINATIONS ABOLISHED.

American Goods Will Pay the Same Duties as Those of Other Countries.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A special to the Times from Washington says: As a result of the investigation the Treasury Department has been making into the question of a tariff for the Philippines, to be levied as a military contribution during the occupation of the islands by the United States forces, the administration has practically decided to enforce the existing Spanish schedules, with only such changes as the circumstances may make necessary.

The experts of the customs service have made an exhaustive study of Spanish tariffs, with special reference to the course to be pursued in the Philippines, and the results of these labors have been laid before the President by Secretary Gage. The first proposition was to adopt a new tariff, drawn on the American model, as was done when this country occupied Tampico during the Mexican war.

In that case, which has furnished the most useful precedents for the present emergency, a special tariff was prepared and enforced during the brief occupation of the port by the military forces of the United States.

In the case of the Philippines, however, in view of the differences of language and of standards of measures, of the remoteness of the territory and of the conditions entirely dissimilar to those existing here, it has been deemed wiser simply to take up the tariff lists as the Spaniards will leave them and continue the same duties as usual. This, it is believed, will cause less interruption to commerce, be more satisfactory to the foreign merchants who do business with the islands, and prove more acceptable to the natives, whose good will is recognized as worth cultivating if the territory is to be retained.

The Spanish tariff in the Philippines is different from our own in that it is a revenue tariff. Pursuant to the Spanish policy of squeezing the colonies just as much as they will stand, the rates have been made just as high as possible. They are specific entirely, no ad valorem being laid. All goods imported from the mother country are exempted from taxation, so as to make it to the interest of the people to trade with the mother country. One of the particulars in which the tariff will be changed under the American administration is the free list, so as to take away the discriminations in favor of the church and the numerous holy orders.

The enforcement of the tariff will be left to the military forces under General Merritt. The Treasury Department will have no official connection with it, although it will send out a number of expert assistants to aid the army officials in the technical execution of the task. The tariff being imposed strictly as a military contribution, the proceeds will be turned into the army's strong box without the formality of forwarding them to the Treasury.

In view of international law, the Philippines, even after they have been occupied by the military forces of the United States, will remain extraneous territory. They will not be a part of this country until the conclusion of a treaty of peace has settled the title upon us. In consequence, American goods shipped to the islands will be made to pay duty just as other goods from foreign countries. As the import taxes will not be increased, American merchants will have no advantage over those of other countries, and as there will undoubtedly be an improvement in the administration with regard to honesty and progress, the commercial world of the far East, it is pointed out, will have nothing to complain of as a result of the change of masters in the Philippines.

Sons of St. George.

The Sons of St. George picnicked at New Glenwood in the Santa Cruz mountain yesterday. Two coaches were reserved for the picnickers who numbered 200. Delegates from Oakland, San Francisco, and Alameda were in attendance.

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